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DUTCH FEN FIRES.

CATASTROPHIC PROPORTIONS.

OLD MAN BURNED TO DEATH.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, May 6th.
The Drentsche fen fires are assuming catastrophic proportions. Twenty houses have been destroyed in one village and a man aged sixty is believed to have been burned to death. Eight workmen narrowly escaped death by swimming a canal.

AMSTERDAM, May 4th.
The fen fires in the Province of Drentsche are becoming more extensive and it is feared that only the cessation of the wind, accompanied by heavy rain, can end the conflagration.

The spread is largely due to the inadequacy of the extinguishing facilities in the sparsely populated moorland region.

The district round Emmen on the German frontier is now a raging furnace and many houses are burning.

An area of several square miles has been evacuated and the atmospheric conditions resemble an eclipse of the sun, so dense are the smoke clouds.

The atmosphere is suffocating while the columns of smoke are visible for miles.

INVENTOR KILLED.

PLANE WITH MOVING WINGS.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

CURTISFIELDS, New York, May 5th.
Mr. Booney, the inventor of the "Seagull" aeroplane, with moving wings, crashed and was killed while experimenting.

AMERICAN ELECTIONS.

WALSH YIELDS TO AL SMITH.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, May 5th.
The Democrats are agog because Senator Walsh has practically withdrawn from the campaign for Presidential nomination in favour of Mr. Al Smith, the Governor of New York State.

Senator Walsh bases his action on Governor Smith's victory in the primaries.

COLLISION IN CHANNEL.

BRITISH NAVAL VESSEL DAMAGED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 4th.
The s.s. *Bacchus*, store-ship to the Mediterranean Fleet, collided in the English Channel with the Greek steamer, *Joannis Fafalios*, during a fog last night.

The Greek vessel was badly holed and sank rapidly, the crew of 22 being picked up by the *Bacchus*.

The British naval vessel was also badly damaged and it is now reported to be sinking, and to have been abandoned by the crew and the survivors of the *Joannis Fafalios*.

LATER.

The *Bacchus* has been towed into Portland. 10 Greeks were drowned and two died after being rescued.

SOVIET DIPLOMAT SHOT.

ATTACK BY EMIGRE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, May 4th.
A message from Warsaw states that a Russian emigre fired a revolver at a car in which M. Lizaroff and another member of the Soviet Legation were travelling. M. Lizaroff was wounded in the hand by a bullet and his face injured by splintered glass. His assailant was arrested.

The assailant's name to Georg Wojciechowski.

A representative of the Polish Foreign Minister called at the Soviet Legation and expressed the Government's regrets at the occurrence. He gave assurance that the assailant would be severely punished in accordance with the law.

JAPANESE DIET.

CENSURE VOTE PASSED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, May 4th.
The Diet which assembled after a three-day prorogation has passed a vote of censure against the Home Minister, who has already resigned. The motion was carried by the narrow margin of five votes, 233 to 228.

It is expected that a vote of non-confidence in the Government will be introduced to-morrow.

CAPT. COURTNEY'S PLANS.

ANOTHER ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 5th.
Captain Courtney, who attempted the east to west Atlantic flight last September and gave up at Corunna, will again make the attempt this month, using a Dornier-Napier machine, the flying of which he is testing at Pisa. She is of German design built in Italy, and has two British Napier engines developing over 1,000 horse-power.

THE ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

VON HUENEFELD'S GENEROSITY.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, May 5th.
The prize of \$12,500 offered by Alwiner Gren, Stockholm, for a successful flight from Europe to America was presented at a dinner last night to Baron Von Huenefeld.

He handed it over to Fraulein Herta Junkers, insisting that she should give it to her father, who built the *Bremen*.

SEAPLANE ENDURANCE RECORD.

36-HOUR FLIGHT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5th.
The United States naval seaplane P.N. 12 has landed at the Navy Yard as the conclusion of a thirty-six hours' secret endurance flight.

It is claimed that this beats the previous seaplane endurance flight record by over seven hours.

MINE DISASTER.

13 NATIVES KILLED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

JOHANNESBURG, May 5th.
Thirteen natives were killed and five seriously injured in a skip disaster on the East Rand proprietary mines, when the cage got out of control and crashed 150 feet.

WAGES OF COTTON WORKERS REDUCED.

ENFORCING THE DEMAND.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 4th.
A proposal to reduce the wages of cotton-workers by 12 per cent. is contained in a resolution passed by the General Committee of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners Associations at Manchester to-day.

The resolution is regarded as the most important development in the cotton crisis.

A copy of the resolution was sent to the Members of the Federation with two ballot papers, one for the American Section of the industry and one for the Egyptian Section.

The Federation Members are being asked to vote whether they are willing to leave the question of the reduction of wages to be dealt with by the Federation Committee and to close the mills if it is necessary to enforce the demand.

FRENCH FILM QUOTA.

REQUIREMENTS MODIFIED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PARIS, May 4th.
The decree of February 18th, laying down that a quota of one French film must be sold in the United States for every four American films produced in France, has given rise to considerable acerbity in French and American film circles.

The friction has brought Mr. Will Hays, the American film magnate, from America to negotiate a modification of the "ruinous" conditions of the decree, in consequence of which American cinema establishments in France threatened to close down, rendering 8,000 French employees idle.

An agreement has now been reached, not modifying the quota, but ameliorating the methods of its application by substituting import licences for block booking, thereby enabling French producers to negotiate directly with American firms.

COUNT POURTALES.

DEATH OF EX-AMBASSADOR.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BRUSSELS, May 4th.
The death is announced of Count Pourtales who was German Ambassador at St. Petersburg in 1914.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

May 6th, 1928.	
R.K. Bank	\$1,293 now.
Do.	London, \$1,304 nom.
Chartered Bank	\$221 buy.
Overland Bank, A. & S.	\$233 nom.
Do.	C. \$214 buy.
P. & O. Bank	\$294 nom.
East Asia Bank	\$75 nom.
Union Insurance	\$680 nom.
North China Ins.	\$141 buy, & sa.
Yongtze Insurance	\$141 buy.
China Underwriters	\$34 buy.
China Fire Insurance	\$318 nom.
Hong Kong Fire Ins.	\$160 nom.
Donghai	\$404 sel.
H.K. Steamboats	\$254 buy, & sa.
H.K. Tugs	\$34 buy.
Indo-Chinese (Prof.)	\$37 buy.
Do.	(Def.) \$78 nom.
Shell Transport	\$84 nom.
Waterboats	\$204 nom.
Benguet	\$32 nom.
Kuwait Mining Ad.	\$54 nom.
Langkat (combined)	\$14 nom.
Do. (single)	\$14 nom.
S'hai Explorations	\$14 nom.
Shanghai Loans	\$34 nom.
Ranp	\$4 nom.
Trench Mines	\$178 nom.
H.K. & K. Wharves	\$137 sel.
H.K. & W. Docks	\$48 nom.
China Provident	\$50 sel.
Hongkong	\$159 buy.
New Engineering	\$14 sel.
Shanghai Docks	\$109 buy.
Ewo Cottons	\$14 sel.
Oriental Cottons	\$14 sel.
S'hai Cottons (old)	\$14 sel.
Do.	(new) \$14 sel.
H.K. Hotels	\$8 buy, & sa.
H.K. L&S	\$14 sel.
Shanghai Land	\$14 buy.
Humphreys Estates	\$14 nom.
H.K. Realities	\$8 buy, & sa.
H.K. Tramways	\$25.20 nom.
Peak Trams (old)	\$14 buy.
Do.	(new) \$14 nom.
Star Faries	\$44 sel.
China Lights (old)	\$11.40 sel.
Do.	(new) \$11.40 sel.
Do. (1928 issue)	\$74 sel.
H.K. Electric	\$74 sel.
Macao Electric	\$44 buy.
Telephone	\$4.70 buy.
China Buses	\$14 sel.
Singapore Tractions	\$7 buy.
China Sugars	\$54 sel.
Malayan Sugars	\$24 nom.
Onabon	\$4 nom.
Oemicals (combined)	\$34 sel.
Do.	(old) \$34 nom.
Do.	(new) \$34 buy, & sa.
H.K. Ropes (old)	\$74 sel.
Do.	(new) \$34 nom.
United Asbestos	\$10 nom.
W. & A. Farms	\$224 nom.
W. & A. Farms	\$14 buy.
Do. & W. Farms	\$34 nom.
Lara Crawford	\$34 buy.
Machintosh	\$22 sel.
Sincere	\$11 buy.
Wm. Powells	\$3 sel.
H.K. Amusements	\$28 buy, & sa.
H.K. Constructions	\$14 nom.
Equa. Indus. G. & B.	\$24 buy.
H.K. Govt. Loans	\$14 rem. nom.
buy—buyers; sel—sellers; sa—saio;	nom.—nominal.

EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, May 4th.	
Paris	134
Brussels	34.94
Amsterdam	12.10
Berlin	20.40
Copenhagen	18.20
Vilnius	34.676
Helsingfors	193
Lisbon	24
Bucharest	765
Buenos Aires	47.13/16
New York	4.68 1/16
Geneva	25.34
Milan	92.65
Stockholm	18.126
Oslo	18.225
Prague	1644
Madrid	29.315
Athens	372
Rio	6.59/64
Bombay	1/8
Yokohama	1/11.13/64
Shanghai	2/7
Hong Kong	2/0
Silver (spot)	28.15/16
Silver (forward)	28.12/16

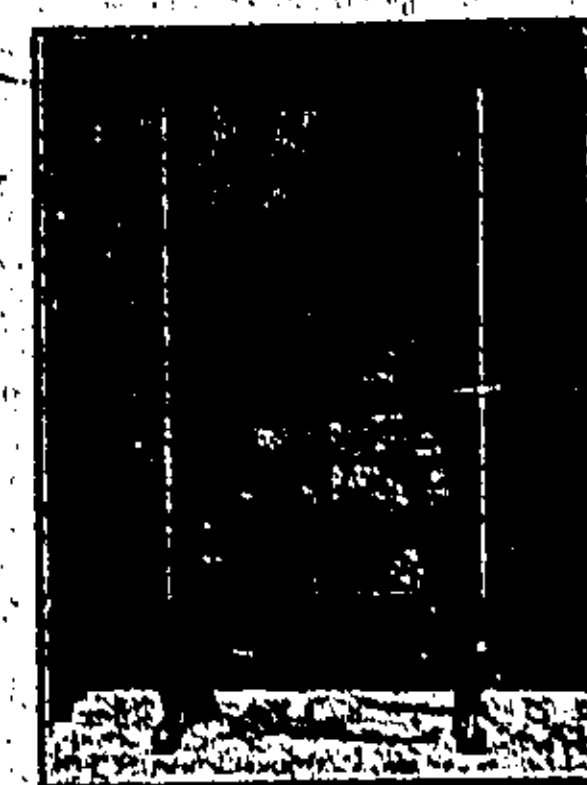
BANK NOTES IN CIRCULATION.

STATEMENT FOR APRIL.

The returns of the average amount of bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kong, during the month ended April 30th, 1928, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks, were:

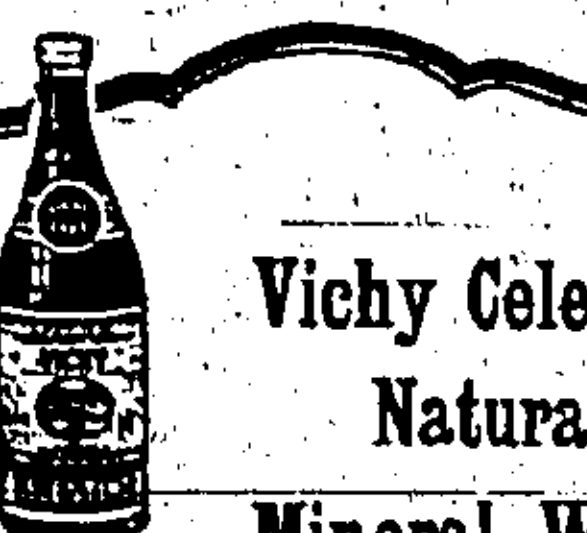
Banks.	Average Amounts.	Specie in Reserve.
Chartered Bank	\$15,392,848	\$8,000,000*
Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank	\$46,993,833	\$34,000,000†
Overland Bank	\$1,763,977	\$800,000‡
Total	\$64,150,758	\$42,800,000

* In addition Sterling Securities are deposited with the Crown Agents valued at \$1,271,000.
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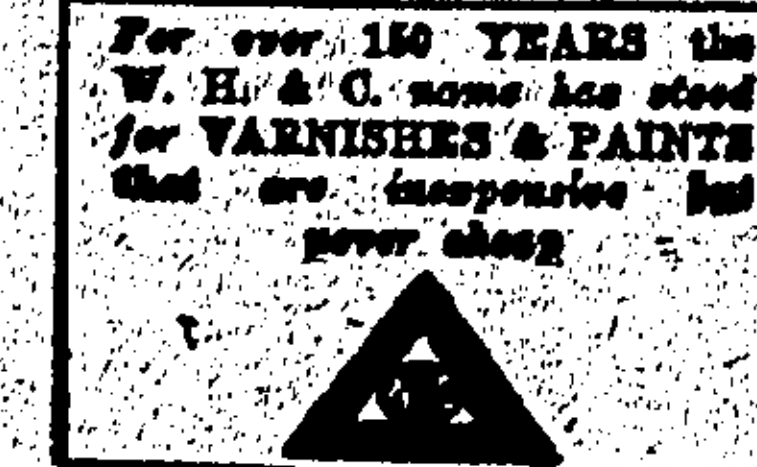
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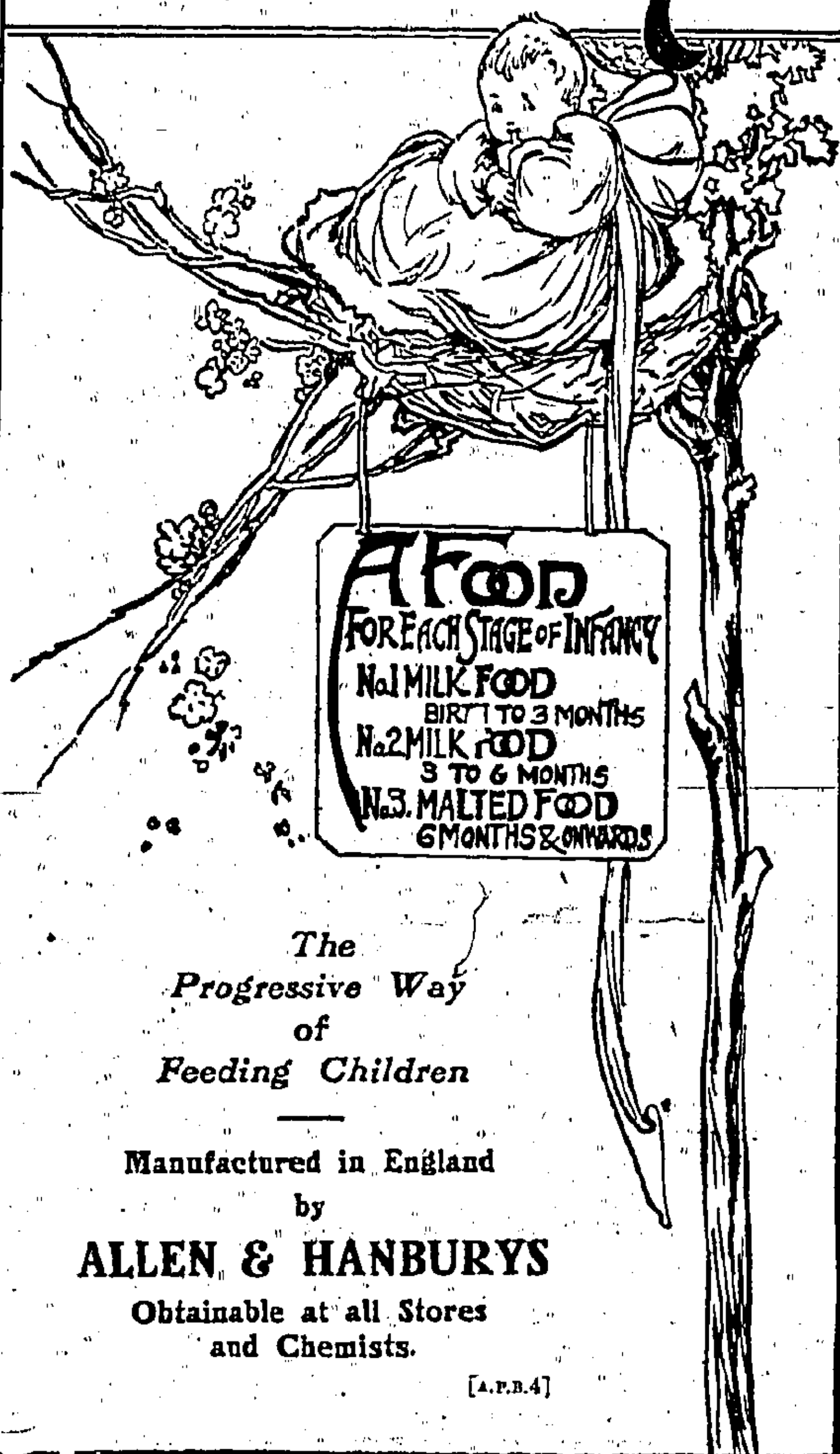
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THE WOMAN OF EXPERIENCE.

WHAT SHE CAN GIVE AND GET FROM LIFE.

RIVALRY OF A HUSBAND'S WORK AND THE
OTHER WOMAN.

[By MURIEL HINE (Mrs. SIDNEY COXON).]

In bygone days "experience" was a favourite weapon of attack when the old wished to suppress the young; obviously an unfair advantage, and no wonder they resented it. The authority of those "on the shelf," looking down out of the dust!

But in this era of vacuum cleaners, parents are realising that experience must be overhauled, with a drastic rejection of worn-out conventions, to be of any use to their children. There remains a sense of loss. For a woman who has achieved wisdom at the price of suffering, although it may appear old-fashioned. She has learned and she cannot pass on her knowledge. Yet, when she studies the matter closely, she finds that the swiftly changing world offers her a compensation unknown to former generations.

There is now no age limit to adventure, once the prerogative of youth; no "shelf," in fact, unless she desires it. Where her grand-mother retired from action she starts on a second voyage, and with fair winds it may be a happier one than the first, for she has considerably lightened her cargo. Illusion has gone overboard and, possibly, another risk.

Physical Equality.

Since birth is no easier in an age of athletic prowess, few women can deplore the hour when that trial of courage is overpast, with its aftermath of anxiety, of sacrifice and education—for in most cases the two go together. Physically, for the first time, she can claim equality with man.

She starts, then, on a new basis. She knows her own capacities and has shed the self-consciousness which lurks behind the assumed "hardness" of the rising generation. Above all, she has the right, and the acumen, to observe. If she does not care to dance and indulge in other youthful pleasures, dress like her daughters, shingle, paint—all of which is permitted, and certainly adds an air of gaiety to the scene—she can sit in the stalls and enjoy the play. Here she has a distinct advantage over her juniors, who must be "in it" or lose prestige, in their opinion.

She can walk out when she is bored, trusting youth to look after itself, for youth has taken a leap forward since the day when she was launched on a world veiled in mystery and pretence. It starts where she arrived after marriage, with a calm understanding of sex. It is not going to sin through ignorance, and it has a shrewd idea of the cost.

Above all, it scorns "sloppiness," and believes that in its hands alone lies the world's regeneration—an annoying theory to the old, but a healthy outlook for the race.

An End Of Chaperonage.

So chaperonage goes overboard, to a great extent, and the twin duty of setting a bleak example. The Woman of Experience is free to acquire new interests, with no pricking of her conscience—and she should not forget that here she has been freed by youth, not only determined, but mainly able to stand alone. The road still points to adventure and the knowledge keeps her spirit supple. Even grand-mothers may refuse to be dumping grounds for their children's children. They have their own place in the sun, and there are fewer babies—another reason, possibly why women retain the energy to enjoy a second youth.

On the social side as well the Woman of Experience has thrown off the old shackles. She may have greater trouble with servants, but she need not entertain at home. Restaurant and club have saved her, with the slackening of etiquette. She can indulge in experiments, have parties to include people of diverse tastes and pursuits, irrespective of their status, so long as

they are "interesting,—and the party large enough!

But no Woman of Experience would mix her guests at a small affair where courtesy might be strained. Tact is her strong suit, and if it comes from the heart she will never lack for friends. Acquired tact, a mental process, has another flavour: *hors d'œuvre* from a tin! But if a deep knowledge of life has enlarged her sympathies, her desire to avoid giving pain will win her the love of many.

It is here, perhaps, that she finds herself in unconscious rivalry with youth, at any rate of her own sex. Almost every man has had a "good mother," since a son is a jewel in her crown, rarer, less puzzling than a daughter. He carries with him into life a vague portrait of the woman who has been his first feminine influence and looks for the same qualities in the girl he meets and admires.

Adviser And Friend.

Now, a drawback to the modern maiden is her ruthless candour, and also her scorn for anything approaching emotion. So we have the paradox of young men seeking the company of a Woman of Experience in their doubts and difficulties. She will listen—an important asset—and she knows that advice is not so welcome as sympathy and reassurance; she will not tell the victim he "asked for trouble" and she hasn't "an earthly" what he must do—his fault, for being "soppy"—although, at a ripe moment, she may smilingly suggest that he has been a trifle careless—

with the future of England in his hands. Her interest can seal a friendship that opens to her a new world, widely of the present. For a time she is part of it, aware, too, if she is serious, that her influence may build a bridge between the two generations.

It is understood that I do not allude to the type that pursues youth and is willing to pay for its attentions, a recognised class of vampire, sapping a man's self-respect. The less said of this the better. But since the rising generation insists on liberty of action, I see no reason why a woman with a gift of humour—that secret of balance—a young heart, and the charm that often persists through middle age should not enjoy a new experience at the risk of arousing jealousy. It may even hasten the coming cycle of girls a shade more feminine, and of boys, in consequence, more insistent on their manhood than some to be met to-day.

Firm Ground.

But where the Woman of Experience, granted that marriage has been a success, should feel on firm ground, at last, is in her relations with her husband. Passion may have burnt out, but it is not altogether a loss, since her vision is clearer, less possessive. They are knit by habit and memories of success and failure shared.

No longer should she fear the rivalry of his work, and his friends—even of another woman. She has realised that a man must have outside interests, that few of them are born faithful, and that the proof of his devotion—human and therefore frail—comes when he returns to her from flights elsewhere, still eager, like a traveller to his bourse. Aware, too, that he may be punished, in proportion to his spiritual absence—if only through her welcoming the lady of whom he is heartily tired, with an amused comment at bed-time: "But I always thought you liked her, my dear!"

It is the sense of humour that lights up the middle way between birth and the grave; and love well-earned—for no seed is sown without some unexpected flowering—that will help the tired feet down the slope leading to the last adventure. Yet even in old age the Woman of Experience may know flashes of a youthful spirit. Her happiness then depends on the use she has made of experience to fortify her character.

SOMETHING BEYOND THE ELECTRON.

MYSTERY OF MATTER.

CAMBRIDGE.

The first Founders' Memorial lecture was given at Girton College by Professor J. J. Thomson, Master of Trinity.

Introducing the lecturer, Lady Stephen, presiding, said that a former student of Girton had given them an endorsement for a lecture to be delivered annually in honour of the founders of the college.

In his lecture on "Beyond the Electron," Professor Thomson said that some recent experiments, especially those made by Professor G. P. Thomson on the passage of electrons through very thin films of metal, have thrown a new light on the nature of the electron.

It is proved that a uniformly moving electron is accompanied by a train of waves which precede and guide it, the electron following in the wake of the waves. The electron has thus, like light, a dual character. One part—that containing the energy—is corpuscular; the other—the part controlling and guiding the path—is undulatory.

These results show that the early conception of the electron as a point charge of negative electricity surrounded by a structureless medium cannot be adequate. The electron of its surroundings must be much more complex than this. There must be something beyond the electron.

If, however, we may suppose that the electron does not represent the final stage in the structure of matter, but that it is itself compounded of, or surrounded by, a something to be regarded as a mixture of sub-electrons and sub-protons, it may be shown that its properties would resemble those which it has lately been shown to possess.

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THE OFFICIAL LIST FOR SATURDAY.

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Station	S.S. Somedono Maru.
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ENGLISH INDUSTRY MOVES SOUTH.

ELECTRICITY'S AID TO COUNTRYSIDE.

The marked tendency of some of the more progressive branches of the engineering trade, such as the motor industry, to develop in the south or midland districts rather than in the north is one of the comments made in the Committee on Industry and Trade's fourth volume (Further Factors in Industrial and Commercial Efficiency, Stationery Office).

This tendency, it is said, is probably connected with the desire to obtain the full benefit of the reduced costs of production resulting from more economic organisation and freedom from the restraints of hard and fast trade custom and restrictions.

"In this connection, too, the Committee states that a study of the insurance statistics for the years 1923 to 1927 indicates—

The southward shifting of the centres of gravity of certain trades, and the industrialisation of non-urban areas in the south of England, phenomena which are comparatively new and likely to be stimulated by the transmission of electric power to rural districts and by other forces making for decentralisation.

The Committee find that the migration of British men overseas is less than half what it was before the war, and remark that "there has been little opening for any considerable immigration of skilled tradesmen into Australia and New Zealand since the policy of those Governments has not tended to encourage immigration except for purposes of land settlement."

Production Costs.

Other points made by the Committee are:

The average rise of industrial costs in the great exporting trades between 1913 and 1925 has been in the neighbourhood of 50 to 60 per cent.

Possibly the greater part of the increase in the "real" cost of labour in production may be due to the reduction in the length of the working week. This reduction averaged about 10 per cent. and does not seem to have been fully offset by increased productivity per hour.

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LADIES ENTERTAINED AT VOLUNTEER
HEADQUARTERS.

A very impressive ceremony was held yesterday morning on the Murray Parade Ground, when H.E. the Governor (Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G.) presented their Colours to the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

The Murray Parade Ground had been lent for the occasion by Lieut.-Col. Comyn, C.M.G., D.S.O., the C.O. of the K.O.S.B. and by 9.15 the matched stand was already gay with the coloured frocks of the ladies who had subscribed to the Colour Fund and other friends and relatives of the members of the Corps. The Parade Ground was surrounded by interested spectators, European and Chinese, when His Excellency's car arrived at 9.30.

The Governor in the course of an inspiring speech, in which he explained how the colours came to be presented, said that military duty was now-a-days less gay and colourful than it used to be, but that it demanded from the soldier even greater gallantry and devotion than in bygone times. But though khaki has replaced scarlet, and most of the trimmings worn to-day by regulars are not worn by Volunteers, the spectacle by no means lacked colour and the bearing of the Volunteers was as stirring as any band of troops could be.

PRESENTATION OF COLOURS.

The Corps, under the command of Lieut.-Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., were drawn up facing the matched stand and on the arrival of His Excellency the Royal salute was given. The corps then formed a hollow square, the drums were carried forward and piled in the centre before His Excellency and the colours, cased, placed across them.

The Right Rev. the Bishop of Victoria, supported by his Chaplain, the Rev. H. V. Halward, carrying the crozier, then consecrated the Colours; at the close of the Bishop's prayer, the Governor accompanied by Captain Whyte, A.D.C., advanced and presented the Colours to the Senior Subalterns of the Infantry and Scottish Companies.

SPLENDID RECORD OF THE CORPS.

H.E. the Governor addressed the Corps as follows:—
Lieut. Colonel Bird, Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

The first Volunteer unit of which there is any record in this Colony was raised on the 1st March, 1862. It consisted only of artillery and was armed with three-pounder guns and 4½" howitzers. It was named the Hong Kong Volunteer Corps. From this beginning there has been slowly, but continuously, organized and developed the present Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps which consists of Artillery, Engineers, Mounted Infantry, an Armourer, Car Company and eight platoons of Infantry, including one platoon of reserves for men over 40 years of age. The strength of the Corps is now 30 officers and 533 other ranks.

War Service.

The Corps participated actively in the operations in the New Territories of the Colony in 1899 and was present at the time of the occupation of Kowloon City. At the outbreak of the Great War the Volunteer Corps were both mobilized in Hong Kong, the strength of these units then being 392 and 418 respectively, and a large number of recruits joined both units in the first few weeks of the war. The regular troops of the garrison were gradually withdrawn during the war and the necessary garrison duties were performed by the Volunteer Corps and the Volunteer Reserves. These duties included the manning of coast defence batteries and of defence electric light stations and the custody of prisoners of war in camps. A considerable number of men from the Corps and its Reserves volunteered for active service during the war and went home, where they were posted to various units on arrival. Many also went to India and other parts of the Empire on active service. The roll of honour of the Volunteer Corps, as mobilized on the outbreak of war, bears the names of 24 members; that of the Volunteer Defence Corps, and of the Volunteer Reserves, as reorganized during the war, bears 48 names; and the number of members of the Corps with war service is now as follows:—Officers, 23; other ranks, 181; total, 204.

Since the war the Corps has twice been mobilized, in 1922 and 1925, by proclamation of the existence of a state of emergency in the Colony consequent on strikes and the unsettled state of the Kwangtung province.

Application for Colours.

Although the Corps has now been in existence for 66 years and has been employed on active service, it has not hitherto possessed colours. A recommendation was made on the 7th December, 1923,

by Lieut.-Colonel Bird that a King's Colour and a Regimental Colour should be granted to the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps. His Excellency, Major-General Luard supported this recommendation and on the 18th December, 1923, I forwarded it to the Secretary of State for the Colonies with my own hearty endorsement and asked that the application might be favourably considered. On the 30th August, 1927, Mr. Amery telegraphed to me that His Majesty the King had been graciously pleased to approve the grant of colours to the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps and had also approved of the designs for these colours which were submitted with the application.

A Gracious Act.

Thereupon the ladies of Hong Kong expressed the wish to defray the cost of preparing and embroidering both the King's Colour and the Regimental Colour. They raised a subscription of \$1,247 among themselves in sums varying between one and five dollars. This amount more than covers the cost of both colours. The list of subscribers is very representative and includes all sections of the community. This gracious act of the ladies of Hong Kong has been commemorated by entering the names of all who subscribed in a book which will be preserved at Volunteer Headquarters.

Emblems of Loyalty.

Gentlemen of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, I charge you to remember that the colours which have been presented to you this day are a gift from your Sovereign and from the ladies of Hong Kong. In days of yore knights did their duty manfully in service of their liege lord the King and for their ladies' favour. Military duty now-a-days is less gay and colourful than it used to be; but it demands from the soldier even greater gallantry and devotion than in bygone times. Let these colours always be treasured among you as emblems of your loyalty to the Crown, to the Colony and to your own homes! May they be an inspiration to you in times of danger and keep you steady in the humdrum days of ordinary routine! And may they wave above you as men are still stirred by those wonderful words of Homer which ring through the ages as a trumpet call—"One ensign is best of all, the defence of the fatherland!"

THE MARCH PAST.

The Corps then reformed line, and the Colour party returned at a slow march to their places in the ranks while the band played the National Anthem and the Corps gave the general salute. The march past of the Corps by companies which followed was particularly impressive, and reforming they advanced after in review order.

Those Present.

Standing with H.E. the Governor were: Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Captain A. J. L. Whyte, A.D.C., and another A.D.C., Major-General C. C. Luard, C.B., C.M.G., accompanied by an A.D.C., the Right Rev. the Bishop of Victoria and the Rev. H. V. Halward.

Among others present were: Lady Clementi and the Misses Clementi, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, Colonial Secretary, and Mrs. Southern, Lieut.-Colonel L. J. Comyn, C.M.G., D.S.O., Lieut.-Colonel T. A. Robertson, Commodore J. L. Pearson, Sir Henry Pollock, Sir Shouson Chow, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., and Mr. E. R. Hallifax.

At Volunteer Headquarters.

After the ceremony of the presentation of the Colours the ladies who had contributed to the Colour Fund were entertained at the Volunteer Headquarters, and Lady Clementi presented a triptych to the Corps on which were inscribed the names of all subscribers to the Colour Fund.

(Continued on next Column).

CO-EDUCATION.

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COLLEGE DEBATING
SOCIETY.

ITS ABSENCE HELD UP
CHINA'S PROGRESS!

The *Yellow Dragon*, that very interesting monthly production of Queen's College, contains in its April number an interesting little summary of a debate on the motion "that co-education is beneficial to students."

Yeung Shu Hung who proposed the motion pointed out that China which is famed for its early civilization had failed to make much further development. This he attributed to the fact that China had not adopted co-education. He went on to point out various particular advantages of co-education, the added test for doing good work in the presence of the opposite sex, and the social advantages and development resulting from companionship and knowledge of the opposite sex. While admitting that there were drawbacks he concluded that the advantages eclipsed them.

Chung Shing Hoi in opposition maintained that in youth at any rate the sexes were not an inspiration to each other, that they were essentially different in nature and outlook and therefore required different teaching. There is danger in it, he said, "therefore let us avoid it." "Precaution is better than cure."

If he was speaking from experience there would seem to be a great chance of his becoming a confirmed bachelor. Adds the report. We also wonder whether the Bellini Girls will be pleased to hear that they are dangerous. The motion was carried by a fairly large majority.

THE RHENISH GIRLS.

ENJOYABLE FUNCTION AT
RHENISH CHURCH.

An enjoyable concert was held by the Rhenish Girls at Rhenish Church last Saturday night, in the presence of a good gathering of members of the Church and their friends.

Miss Violet Woo opened the programme with an intricate piano solo in which she acquitted herself most admirably. She was followed by a Charleston exhibition by Miss Wong Man Li.

Chinese Comedy.

Another item which attracted much interest was a Chinese comedy entitled "Doctor Deceived," written and directed by Mr. Ng Tai Ping. Those taking part were Miss Poon Wai Kuen, Miss Wong Sui Lan, Miss Wong Yue and Miss Tang Wong Hang. Miss Ng Tai Ping has a high reputation for the Chinese dramas and Miss Poon Wai Kuen is a clever comedy actress. The play is extremely interesting, with some clever touches of comedy.

Chinese Boxing.

An excellent exhibition of "Chinese Fighting Art" was given by Professor Chew Kiat with two of his disciples and was one of the most interesting items on the programme.

Mr. Wong Kwan Ming gave an "harper" solo for which he had to give an encore before the audience was satisfied.

At the conclusion Miss Wong Yuen Lan thanked all the artists, and those who had contributed towards the success of the evening, especially Mr. Ng Tai Ping upon whose shoulders the major part of the work of arrangement had fallen.

The room was gaily decorated with flags and plants and the closed triptych stood on a small platform. The Colours were supported on the same stand and draped to hang on either side of the triptych. When all were assembled Lieut.-Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O., mounted the platform and spoke a few words about the Colours, the application for them and the reasons for the choice of colour and design. He called for a vote of thanks to Lady Clementi and the ladies who had so generously subscribed.

Lady Clementi then opened the triptych which has the following words inscribed in the centre and the names of the ladies subscribing on the two leaves.

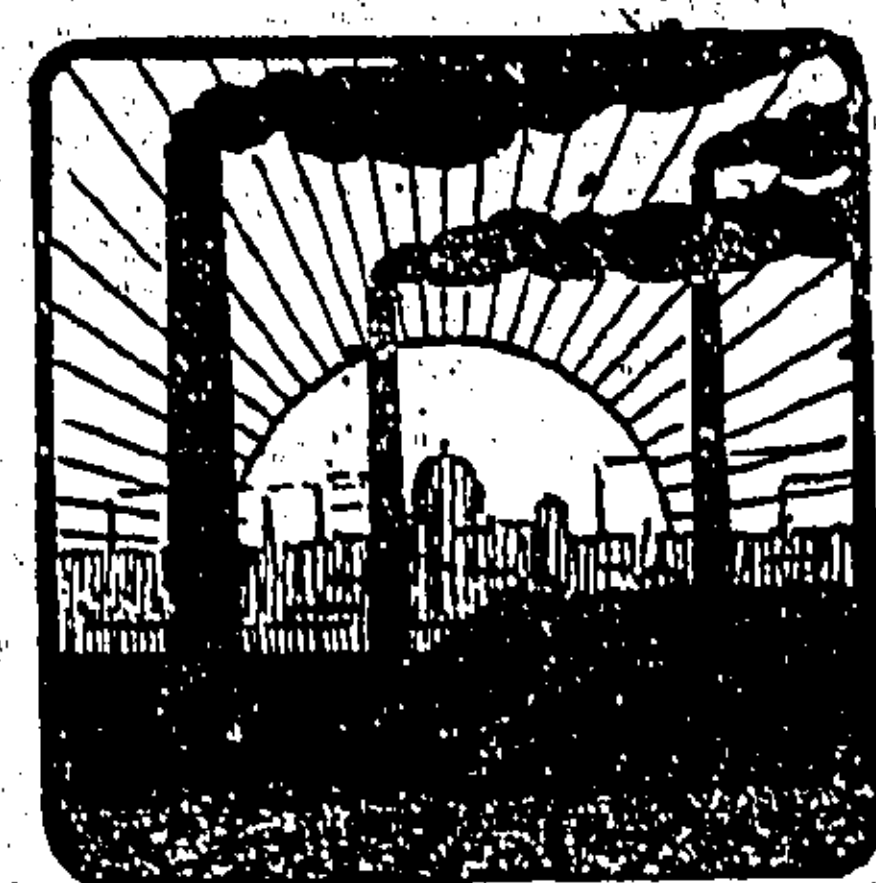
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The triptych will be hung with the colours on the wall of the Officers' Mess of Volunteer Headquarters.

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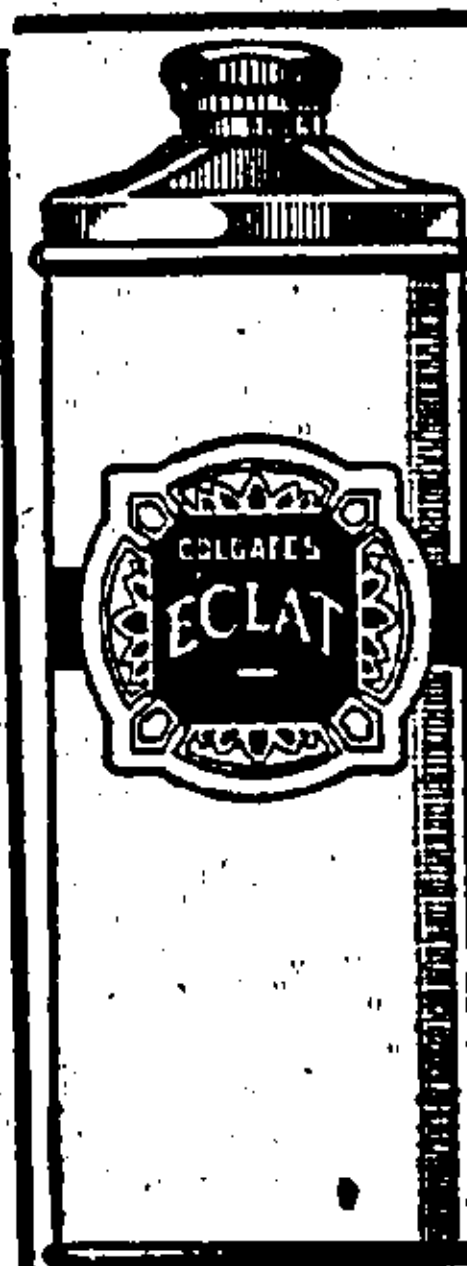
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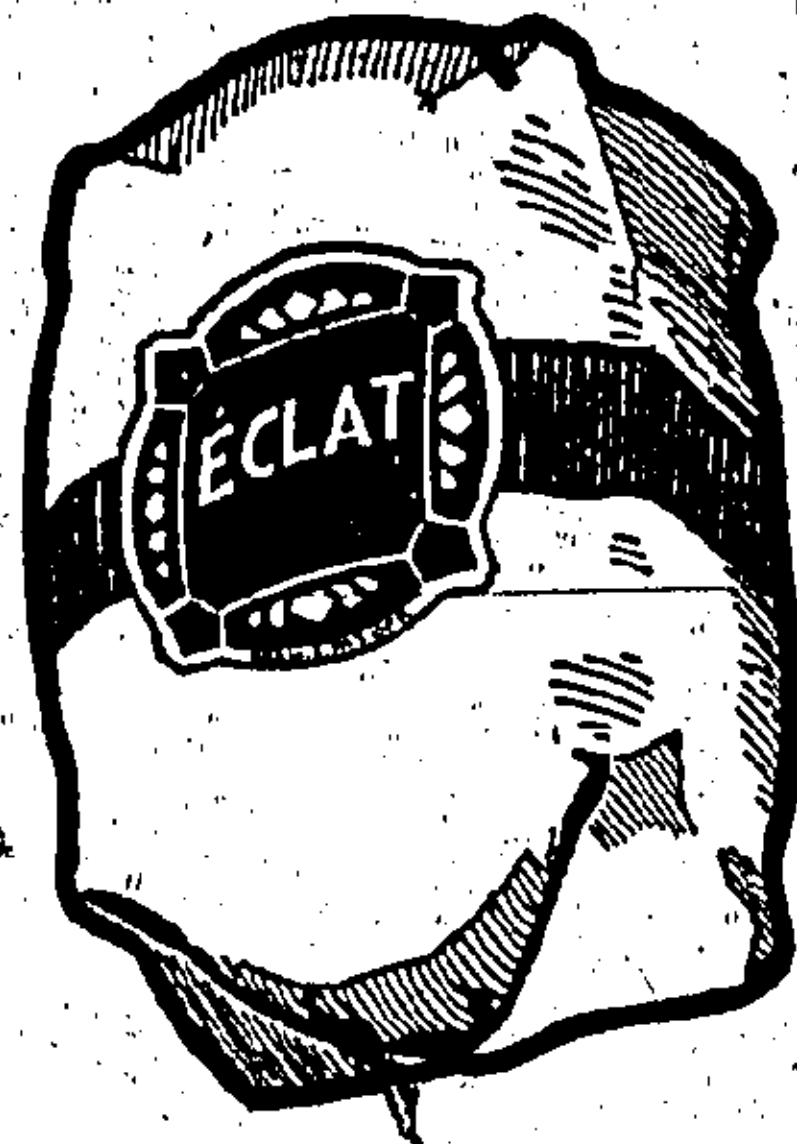
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H.E. THE GOVERNOR'S DEPARTURE.

FORMAL EMBARKATION ON
WEDNESDAY.

The following are the arrangements on the occasion of the departure on leave of His Excellency, Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G., on Wednesday.

His Excellency will arrive at 11 a.m. at Queen's Pier where a guard of honour will be drawn up.

Members of Executive and Legislative Councils, the Judges, Heads of Departments, the Consular Body, representatives of the Navy and Army, and the Foreign and Chinese communities, and their ladies will be admitted to the pier up to 10.50 a.m.

Dress: Uniform or morning dress. His Excellency will embark on the steam launch *Victoria* at 11.15 and proceed to the C.P.S.S. *Empress of Russia*.

A salute of 17 guns will be fired as the *Empress of Russia* leaves the harbour.

THE DIPLOMACY OF THE PEOPLE.

CANTON FOREIGN COMMISSIONER DENOUNCES JAPANESE.

CHINA'S STRUGGLE FOR EQUALITY WITH THE POWERS.

[FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

Speaking at the Y.M.C.A. Building in Canton on Friday Dr. Chao Hsin Chu, Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, bitterly denounced the Japanese action in Shantung, declaring that there was not the slightest grounds for intervention on the score of danger to Japanese Nationals.

He spoke at length of the "diplomacy of the people" and declared that the Government had behind it in its negotiations with foreign Powers for treaty revision, etc., the full force of Chinese national opinion.

CANTON, May 6th.

The campaign for citizenship training under the auspices of the Canton Y.M.C.A. was formally launched yesterday morning in the Y.M.C.A. building on the Bund. Thousands of people attended the varied functions of the campaign, most of whom were middle school and college students. But business men, officials of the Government and people of other walks of life were by no means behind hand. In the reading room of the Y.M.C.A. building cartoons, pictures and health charts were conspicuously displayed, all showing the right way to the acquisition of health, wealth, wisdom and good character.

The Twenty-one Demands of 1915 by the Japanese Government were also hung on the walls of the reading room. The purpose Mr. Lam Pak Kwan, one of the secretaries of the Canton Y.M.C.A. told the representative of the *Daily Press* was to remind people of the approaching National Humiliation Day (May 7th).

In the evening Dr. Chao Hsin Chu, Commissioner for Foreign Affairs of Kwangtung, delivered a public lecture in the auditorium of the Y.M.C.A. on the object and spirit of the campaign. More than a thousand people attended. Dr. Chu spoke on "The Diplomacy of the People." His speech was, in part, as follows:

"HELPFUL STIMULUS TO THE GOVERNMENT."

"The expression 'the diplomacy of the people' is of recent origin, having been brought into prominence by the Chinese people in their serious endeavour to back up the diplomacy of their Government. It is a rather unusual expression and is rarely seen or heard of in the history of diplomacy. The diplomacy of the people, the Chinese people, has been singularly helpful and efficacious as a stimulant and supplement to that of the Government. This has been borne out time and again in the recent diplomatic dealings of China with the Powers. To-day the diplomacy of the people is again challenged and tested as never before in the most momentous question of the Japanese military expedition to Shantung. The Nationalist Government and every thinking Chinese are united in condemning the action of the Japanese Government. All Chinese newspapers, magazines and other periodicals take the same line. Obviously the people are again exerting their power and influence and backing up the Government in its endeavour to secure international justice.

THE JAPANESE AND SHANTUNG.

"The methods of the diplomacy of the people are quite different from those of the Government. The former are open, direct, straightforward and severe while the latter are often secret, indirect, and at times cunning and reserved. The people are unreservedly exposing in unequivocal terms the motives of the Japanese military intervention in China. They are solidly backing up the Government on its foreign policy and are making known to the world the real facts underlying the course of action of the Japanese Government. We know that there is absolutely no justification whatever for the Japanese despatch of troops to Shantung. The Japanese Government states that the Japanese troops are there to protect the lives and property of the Japanese nationals in Shantung and elsewhere in China. But neither the lives nor the property of the Japanese nationals, or nationals of any other nationality, have been in danger, thus warranting the presence of the Japanese troops.

THE PEOPLE AWAKENING.

"But now the people have awakened from their age-long lethargy and are fully articulate. The Monarch is for ever dethroned. The people are supreme. They have expressed in unequivocal terms their opinion of China's past diplomatic failures. They stand opposed to the lopsided international dealings of the past and accord them no recognition. They are a potent factor to be contented with by the foreigner in dealing with China. Their diplomacy has been a genuine help to the Government in its solution of many an international problem. They no longer fear the foreign guns. It is to be regretted that at times some of our desperadoes insulted the foreigners. Such irresponsible elements should be punished to the fullest extent of our law. Foreigners should never be insulted in any way. They should always be well-treated by our people.

"The annoying problem of dual nationality has been definitely settled and dispensed with. Heretofore many foreign born Chinese at times claimed that they were subjects of a foreign country but at other times they claimed that they were Chinese citizens, which ever gave them the better advantage. Very often these double headed people were not well behaved; and as a result, caused a considerable trouble to officials when they were caught and brought to trial. But now we have devised a system whereby this is impossible. No person now can claim dual nationality.

True patriotism demands that there shall be no dual nationality. Heretofore in time of distress many shops in Canton would hoist a foreign flag, thinking that they would be protected by some foreign country. But when trouble was over they would hoist the Chinese national flag. From now on this can never be tolerated. All this is an outcome of the diplomacy of the people.

"The results of the diplomacy of the people as embodied in their united support of the foreign policy of the Government are plainly visible. In the past the powers interpreted those obsolete treaties strictly to the letter. But the interpretation now is very loose. The Nationalist Government goes about its diplomacy as if those unilateral treaties had not existed.

TARIFF AUTONOMY.

The problem of tariff autonomy is on its way to proper settlement. The Washington Conference of 1921 provided an increase of 2.5 per cent. *ad valorem* on the imports and exports of necessities and a further increase of 2.5 per cent. *ad valorem* on luxuries. Thus the present effective duties on imports and exports are 7.5 per cent. *ad valorem* on necessities and 10 per cent. *ad valorem* on luxuries. But in spite of these treaty limitations the Kwangtung Government is to increase from May 11th the import and export duties to 20 per cent. for 6 months, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the relief of suffering caused by the recent Communist upheavals. It will not be long when complete tariff autonomy will be carried out by the Nationalist Government.

"All foreign debts should be recognized and paid by the Nationalist Government. This is the only way to maintain our financial status and confidence. During the World War Great Britain borrowed huge sums of money from the United States and loaned it to her allies. A large proportion of the money thus borrowed was not used by Great Britain but by her allies, yet the British Government recognized the debt it owed to the United States and has agreed to pay it back in full. The reason why the British Government has, in spite of its enormous debt been able to maintain such a high financial prestige among all nations is just due to that.

"China is in many ways a great nation. She is behind the leading nations to-day only in material civilization which can be easily copied and brought up to date. We are at an advantage, as we are a new comer in this respect. We copy from foreign nations only the good parts of their civilization. Any objectionable features we do not take. I believe that when the country is once unified and tranquilized, material progress will advance by leaps and bounds. And the diplomacy of the people is doing a great deal to hasten the realization of that happy state of affairs.

LOAN TO CANTON.

REPORT QUITE UNFOUNDED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEKING, May 6th.

Mr. G. E. Hubbard, agent of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation here officially states that a *Toho* report from Canton to the effect that the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank had loaned \$5,000,000 to the Canton Government is quite unfounded.

FRACAS IN MONEY EXCHANGE.

BOY WHO TOOK REFUGE.

DETECTIVE AND MERCHANT CONTRADICT EACH OTHER.

Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy on Saturday morning the case was continued in which a money changer of No. 21, Spring Garden Lane, and another Chinese were accused of assaulting a Chinese detective in the execution of his duty.

Mr. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E. (Deputy Superintendent of Police) was for the Crown, and Mr. Him Shing Lo appeared on behalf of the defendants. Mr. Lo is also cross-examining the detective for an alleged assault on his client.

A small Chinese boy who caused the whole trouble was present in Court, but was not legally represented.

The case for the prosecution was that a plain-clothes Chinese detective, No. C441, saw a number of boys playing football in Spring Garden Lane on April 24th at about noon, and chased one of them with the intention of arresting him.

The Chinese detective seized one of the boys, whereupon the two defendants interfered. There ensued a fight and an Indian constable came up and effected the arrest of the first defendant. Later outside the Police Station the Chinese detective noticed the second defendant and arrested him too.

The Police Station Affair.

Inspector Evans, of No. 2 Police Station, said that he was on duty at the charge room at about 12.40 on April 24th, and the first defendant was brought to the Station by the Chinese detective and the Indian constable. There was a large crowd outside the Station and the detective charged the first defendant with obstructing him whilst engaged in his duty. The first defendant complained that the Chinese detective had broken a pane of glass in his show-room. Inspector Evans then sent the two back to the shop to investigate the matter, and they returned with the young boy who was seized for playing football. Inspector Evans also told the Magistrate that he noticed that the Chinese detective's jacket was torn. The witness added that he did not admit the defendant to bail immediately as he was busy with other small cases at the time, and there was no one present at the time to produce the money. Continuing his evidence, Inspector Evans said that a few minutes later, when the defendants were taken to the cells he heard cries of "Save life." He found the first defendant outside the cell door with a cut on his forehead, just above his eye.

The Magistrate then remarked that it was "very irregular" for the defendant not to be offered bail. The defendant was obviously not of a criminal type. Inspector Evans replied that the defendant was agitated at the time, and he decided to leave him to "cool down."

Tripped Over The Step.

The Indian constable who has assisted in the arrest of the defendant then told the Court that when he told the defendant to go inside the cell, the defendant refused and tried to push his way out. In the struggle the defendant slipped on the step of the cell door and knocked his forehead. The defendant then commenced to shout "Save life." He was given a basin of water to wash his wound but refused. The second defendant was with them in the passage outside the cell, but the Chinese detective was still in the charge room, and could not have struck the defendant, as was alleged.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

For The Defence.

Mr. Lo on behalf of his clients said that the young boy was playing in the street, but when the Chinese detective chased him, the boy ran into the first defendant's money-changers shop. The boy held on to the brass rail of the counter and in the struggle one of the "slow windows" was broken. The first defendant who was sitting peacefully behind his counter, came out and asked what the fuss was about and what the detective meant by breaching his showcase. The detective glared at him, and said "Don't you know who I am?" The first defendant was certainly annoyed and demanded an explanation. The Chinese detective released his hold of the boy, and assaulted the money-changer. Then, with the assistance of the Indian constable, who had just arrived, he arrested the defendant and took him to the Police Station.

The Second Defendant's Arrest.

The second defendant, a hawker, who was standing by at the time, went to the Police Station with the idea of explaining the matter, but was met at the Station door by the Chinese detective who told him to clear out. The second defendant explained that he wanted to explain matters, whereupon the Chinese detective arrested the first defendant in the street. When they were led to the cells the Chinese detective told the first defendant to halt, and without any warning punched him in the abdomen. The defendant was wounded, and shouted out "Save life." The Indian constable then told him to keep quiet and also punched the defendant on the forehead. (Continued on next column.)

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE ECONOMICS OF SAVING.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

Sir,—The quotation in Saturday's leader, "Well-run prosperous institutions (banks) which seem to flourish in bad as well as good times": I have heard assertions by lecturers that an abnormal amount of bank deposits was a sure sign of abnormal prosperity, and I have read similar assertions in reference to Government Savings Certificates, when, on both occasions, it was quite evident to "the man in the street" that business was in a most depressed condition. Perhaps some of our local Adam Smiths would be good enough to enlighten us as to the economics of saving—Yours, etc., W.

Hong Kong, May 5th, 1928.

[Ed. Note.] The subject upon which our correspondent appeals to the Adam Smiths of the Colony for enlightenment is a complex one, and as far as we can see has little or nothing to do with the quotation he gives. An abnormal amount of unearned bank deposits is not, in itself, a sign of abnormal trade prosperity or evidence that the bank is well-run and prosperous. Nevertheless, when wage-earners invest large amounts in savings certificates and place considerable sums on deposit in the banks it certainly shows that they are doing well.]

CONSECRATION OF COLOURS.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

Sir,—With reference to the letter in connection with the Consecration of the Volunteer Colours appearing in your issue of the 5th inst., under the name of "L. E. Haynes," I think that the latter should have had more commonsense than to write as he did.

Mr. L. E. Haynes' letter is, to say the least of it, an insult to the intelligence of the Volunteers. If the Volunteers require the services of a spokesman, they will say so, and even then, I think they would ask for the services of one more competent than Mr. L. E. Haynes to speak for them. To the best of my knowledge, none of the members of the various units of the Defence Corps, has lodged any protest against the appointment of the Bishop of Victoria (Hong Kong) to consecrate the Colours of the Corps, and such being the case, I really fail to see what purpose Mr. L. E. Haynes' letter serves. I have always been under the impression that the age of bigotry is a thing of the past, but since reading Mr. L. E. Haynes' letter, I am afraid I have been sadly mistaken.

I have not much time to waste in writing further on the subject, but before concluding, I would like to impress upon Mr. L. E. Haynes the fact that the Volunteers are not a narrow minded and cantankerous crowd, but are a body of men whose aims are not for self, but for the Volunteers as a whole, and in the discharge of their duties, they do not allow questions as to creed or colour to crop up.

Apologizing for having taken up so much of your valuable space, I am, Sir,—Yours, etc.,

Sgnr. L. J. CHANNING
(Corps Signals, H.K.V.D.C.)
[Ed. Note: It appears to us natural and right that the King's Colours should be consecrated by a Bishop of the King's religion.]

head. The Indian constable had a bunch of keys in his hand at the time.

The first defendant was not given bail, and was left in the cell "to brood over his pain and sorrow for some time."

The Small Boy Discharged.

The small boy then told the Court that he was chased into the shop and corroborated Mr. Lo's statement as to the breaking of the glass, and of the quarrel between the first defendant and the Chinese detective. As soon as he was released he bolted.

The Magistrate decided to discharge the boy, and cautioned him "never to kick a ball again if it came his way."

The First Defendant's Story.

The first defendant, said that he had been in the money-changing business for about 15 years. Having corroborated Mr. Lo's statements, he said that he was handcuffed when he was taken back to his shop with the Chinese detective. Inspector Evans was present when he was handcuffed, and the order was given by the Chinese interpreter. The affair at the cell was exactly as Mr. Lo had described.

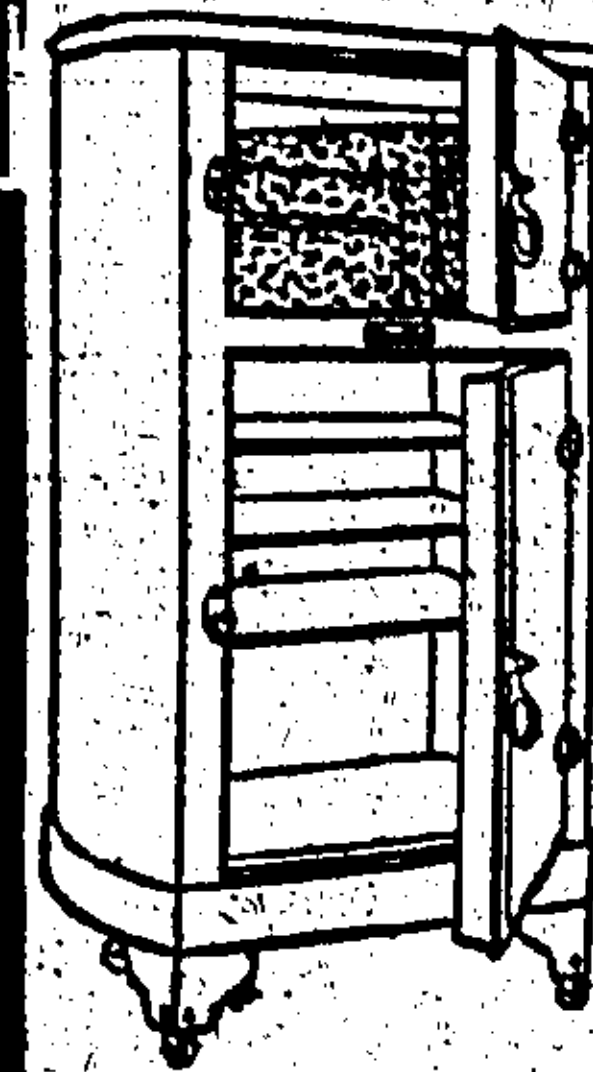
The Second Defendant.

The second defendant said that he was a hawker, and witnessed the whole of the occurrence at the shop. He went to the Police Station with the idea of explaining matters, but was met at the door by the Chinese detective who told to tell the Inspector that the first defendant struck the first blow. He would not do this, and the Chinese detective pounced on him as one of the men who had assisted the first defendant in assaulting him.

The sitting lasted till nearly 2 p.m. when the Magistrate adjourned the case until noon to-day. Both defendants were allowed bail at \$250.

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The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 17th MAY, 1928, Both Days inclusive.

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SALE OF H.M.S. "ROBIN."

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Full particulars of the Vessel and Conditions of Sale, and Permits to view, may be obtained on application to the NAVAL STORE OFFICER, H.M. DOCKYARD, Hong Kong, and Tender forms will be issued on payment of a deposit of \$200, refundable when decision on the Tenders has been reached.

The vessel will be on View at H.M. NAVAL DEPOT, Kowloon, from the 2nd MAY.

If required for further Service the Ship can be sold to British Nationals only. If bought for breaking up the vessel will be completely broken up within 12 Months from date of purchase.

Tenders will be received in the Office of the NAVAL STORE OFFICER, H.M. DOCKYARD, up to Noon on THURSDAY, 24th MAY. [6211]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE Goods of MARY ALICE LIDDELL LAMBERT, Late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the Provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an Order Limiting the Time for Creditors and Others to send their Claims against the above Estate to 24th MAY, 1928, and that Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their Claims to the Undersecretary on or before that Date.

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BIRTHS.
FITCH.—On April 30th, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. FITCH, a son, ROBERT McLELLAN.
PORTRUDE.—On April 30th, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. PORTRUDE, a son, WILLIAM PAUL.

MARRIAGE.
CHEESEMAN—TURNER.—On April 30th, at Shanghai, JEAN MILLER, daughter of WILLIAM TURNER, Blairgowrie, to JAMES ALFRED, son of the late JAMES ALFRED CHEESEMAN, Edinburgh.

DEATHS.
GARLAND.—On May 1st, at Shanghai, FLORENCE MINNIE, wife of L. A. GARLAND.
MACFARLAN.—Suddenly, on April 10th, at Gourock, JOHN MACFARLAN, aged 26 years, late engineer Indo-China Steamship Company.
WHITE.—On May 1st, at Shanghai, PETER NORMAN, aged six and a half months, son of Mr. and Mrs. NORMAN WHITE.

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The Daily Press.

Hong Kong, May 7th, 1928.

HOW LONG WILL THE
WHITE RACES LEAD?

Recently Sir Leo Chiozza Money, the eminent expert on political economy, wrote an article in which he discussed quite frankly the question of world leadership. How long will the white races maintain their position as leaders of the human family? It is an alluring topic. Will black

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or yellow eventually reach such a position that the whites will be submerged by the sheer weight of numbers? Of course in a general way there is nothing novel in these questions. They have been asked before to-day. Who has not read of the Yellow Peril in relation to Europe? More recently the cry has gone up that in South Africa the whites are in danger of being submerged eventually by the increase of the black races. Sir Leo challenges attention by his declaration that the white races are placing themselves in a position of extreme danger by deliberately limiting their numbers.

Last year the birth-rate of England and Wales fell to the amazingly low level of 16.7 per thousand of the population as compared with 24.1 in the year 1913. This is a decline so rapid that it is positively startling. The birth-rate in France has been steadily decreasing for years; in Italy it is also on the decline. "I confess," writes Sir Leo Chiozza Money, "that I can see no redeeming feature in the unseemly haste with which the races that ought to continue to lead the world are treading the path of decay and surrender. The ancient conception of warfare was to destroy the enemy nation. The irony of war and peace in our time is that while war is incapable of destroying the enemy, we preach in peace that salvation is to be sought in national self-immolation."

Sir Leo turns to the world outside Europe, and points to America where there are "thirteen million negroes, and mulattoes descended from the human cargoes brutally shipped from Africa in evil far-off

days." The negroes are increasing so rapidly that they are presenting America with a difficult problem. He states that in the British Empire outside the United Kingdom in 1923 there were hardly more than 13,000,000 white men, women and children, and that these are adding to their numbers very slowly. Australia and New Zealand do not encourage emigrants from Britain, so that the populations there are not increasing to a large extent. As for South Africa, in 1923 there were about 3,500,000 blacks to 1,600,000 whites, and there is no room in that country for white emigrants without capital.

We are far from professing complete agreement with Sir Leo Chiozza Money, because for one thing he appears in the role of special pleader. The declining birth rate alarms him, and he desires to alarm others by stating his argument in an extreme way. He is also a pessimist in this matter, although it must be confessed that there is basic truth in what he sets forth with such relentless logic. His point of view deserves earnest consideration. The old civilisations of Asia are being awakened from the sleep of ages, and it is well to be reminded of the fact that new ideas are permeating them—that their conception of white races is different from what it was formerly.

There has been talk from time to time of the Yellow Peril, which meant that the yellows would conquer the whites by force of arms; but according to Sir Leo it will be a bloodless victory when it comes. There need be no fighting, for it is simply a case of numbers. By refusing to maintain their populations the white nations are surrendering the field. This is the argument, and the answer to it is not quite clear. One solution would be that as the coloured peoples have been taught many things for which they are not especially grateful to Western races, they might now be taught the new doctrine of birth control.

On the other hand, the cynic would probably declare that this is a question that can be left to future generations to deal with—that is, to posterity whose task it will be to maintain the world supremacy of the white races when the position of world leadership is definitely challenged, as it is bound to be, perhaps even before the present century has run its course.

The name of the China Sun Motion Pictures Co., Ltd., has been struck off the register of companies in the Colony.

The Police have recovered the uniforms of three Royal Marines, who were believed to have deserted from H.M.S. *Berwick*.

The bodies of two young Chinese girls were recovered from the harbour yesterday. Their wrists were tied together and a suicide compact is suspected.

It is announced, for information of the public, that no one shall keep a goat without the written consent of the Superintendent of the Botanical & Forestry Department.

The house of Mr. W. Kent, Assistant Superintendent of Police, at Kennedy Road was entered by burglars on Saturday night and money amounting to \$25 was stolen.

New Kowloon Island Lot No. 1133, situated at Shumshui; will be offered for sale at the Public Works Department Land Sale Office on the 21st instant. The total area of the lot is 7,410 square feet, and the upset price will be \$8,200.

There was a chimney fire on Friday at No. 378 the Peak, the residence of Mr. D. Kinlock. Sgt. Colman of the Peak Police Station was on the scene with the new motor-cycle fire appliance but the fire had been put out by the time he arrived. The outbreak is believed to have been caused by a defective chimney.

Letters of administration for the estate of the late Mr. Luk Chor Ting, alias Lu Tao Ting, formerly compradore of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at Foochow have been granted to Mr. L. R. Andrewes, of Messrs. Johnson Stokes and Master. Deceased's net estate in the Colony is valued at \$32,000 and is left to the widow Luk Lo Se.

The appointment of the Hon. Sir H. E. Pollock to act as Attorney General during the absence on leave of Sir Joseph Kemp is gazetted. Other appointments announced in the current issue of the *Gazette* are those of Mr. Philip Jacks as Puisne Judge, Mr. G. R. Sayer as Postmaster General and Mr. J. D. Lloyd as Superintendent of Imports and Exports.

DEATH OF SIR WILLIAM
GOODMAN.FORMER CHIEF JUSTICE OF
HONG KONG

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, May 6th.

The death is announced of the Hon. Sir William Meigh Goodman, K.C., a former Chief Justice of Hong Kong.

Sir William Goodman who was born in 1847 took his degree at London University and was called to the bar (Middle Temple) in 1870. He became Attorney General of Honduras in 1883 and Chief Justice of that Colony in 1888. In 1889 he was transferred to Hong Kong as Attorney General and became Chief Justice in 1902, holding the post till 1903 when he returned.

Sir William was twice married, in 1874 to a daughter of Mr. B. B. Breach of Burwash, Surrey and in 1892 to a daughter of Mr. E. J. Smith. Sir William spent his long retirement in Guildford, Surrey.

Sir William Goodman is well remembered by many of the senior members of the legal profession as a sound and careful lawyer. He was a keen musician and possessed a very charming singing voice.

TWO CASES OF PLAGUE.

REPORTED ON FRIDAY.

For the first time for a long period cases of plague in the Colony have been notified.

Friday's return of notifiable diseases states that two cases of plague, both Chinese, were reported from the Victoria Registration District.

Three more cases of small-pox, all Chinese, were reported from Kowloon, and two Chinese cases of enteric from Victoria.

WILD CAT CAUGHT ALIVE.

BY POLICE OFFICER AT
ABERDEEN.

The police officer stationed at Aberdeen had several times seen a wild ginger cat while on his rounds. Later he noticed that his chickens were diminishing rapidly, and he came to the conclusion that the wild cat was helping himself. The police officer then set a trap with one of his fattest hens inside as bait. The trick worked and the cat was found incarcerated the next morning.

He seemed a very wild customer indeed and had an exceedingly long bushy tail. The police officer having no use for "pet" wild cats, killed the animal with two shots from his revolver.

MORE WINDOW BREAKING.

K.O.S.B. SOLDIERS INVOLVED.

Another case of shop window smashing was reported at the Police Station on Friday, the offenders being three members of the King's Own Scottish Borderers. The victim was the Tsang Fook Piano Store, Ice House Street. The Company recently advertised some of their music and instruments at a reduction, as they were moving into premises next door. The placards, perhaps, attracted this unwelcome attention and three panes were on the table in Court on Saturday morning, with a few pieces of the show window glass which was about a quarter of an inch thick.

It was announced that the cases will be heard, not by the Magistrate, but before a District Court Martial which has power to inflict a heavier sentence than the Magistrate's Court.

DIOCESAN BOYS' CONCERT.

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QUEEN'S BAND FINE DISPLAY.

The concert held at the School Hall of the Diocesan Boys' School on Saturday night was very well attended. In addition to the many parents and friends of the school, a large number of Scots Guardsmen and men of the Queen's Regiment turned up.

The Queen's Regiment Band were the main contributors to the "exceedingly enjoyable programme, and every item was given the heartiest applause. Mr. John Braga also gave some delightful selections on his "300 year old violin" and Mr. Clover was heartily applauded for his songs. Band Sgt. Manely, in one of the band items, gave an excellent exhibition of how the Coching Horn should be played. The audience clapped until they were given an encore.

The programme was as follows:

- Programme.
- Conductor: Band Sgt. MANLEY.
 1. Grand March—Test from Tannhauser Wagner.
 2. Overture—Hungarian Keler Bela.
 3. Songs—Two Songs of the Fair Easthope Martin.
 4. Amphiphone Duet—The Mountain Gnomes Eilenberg.
 5. Songs—Selected. Mrs. G. WATTS.
 - With Violin Obligato by Mr. JOHN BRAGA.
 6. Selection—Il Trovatore ...Verdi.
 - INTERVAL.
 7. Selected—Two Popular Numbers.
 8. Violin Solo—Adieu Squarise.
 - Mr. JOHN BRAGA.
 9. Song—Because. Guy D'Hardelet, Mr. H. Glover.
 10. Cornet Solo—My Dreams. Tosti. Band Sgt. E. MANLEY.
 11. (Selected).
 - The Queen's Male Voice Choir.
 12. Selection—The Milkado.
 13. Regimental March—Branzanza. God Save THE KING.

THE ANGLICAN MISSION AT
KWEILIN.

"IN A TERRIBLE MESS."

LETTER FROM THE REV.
W. R. CANNELL.

The Rev. W. R. Cannell, who will be remembered as one of the best and most outspoken preachers heard in St. John's Cathedral for a very long time, has sent the following interesting letter to the Very Rev. the Dean of Hong Kong (The Rev. A. Swann) from the Anglican Mission, Kweilin, Kwangsi:—

We got here last Wednesday at noon, and since then we have been busy cleaning up the house and finding our things. So far as I can judge at present, I don't seem to have lost much, though many things have been smashed. It is evident that the looters were interrupted very early in their proceedings in this house. But in the Doctor's house they have made havoc and, besides smashing a great deal, have carried away most of the goods. The place is in a terrible mess and it will take me some time going through the debris to find what remains worth saving.

I will write you a fuller description later on, but at present, trying to get things straight, conspicuous callers, etc., it is difficult to settle down to write.

WEATHER REPORT.

The weather report, forecast and remarks issued by the Royal Observatory, Hong Kong, at 11 a.m. yesterday state:—

The anti-cyclone is now central to the east of Tokyo. A depression is approaching Vladivostok from westward. The typhoon is probably about 400 W.N.W. of Yap, moving, W.N.W.

Local forecast:—E. winds, moderate, fair.

A later report issued at 4.54 p.m. states:—

The anti-cyclone is central to the East of Tokyo. The typhoon is probably between 300 and 400 miles East of Legaspi, moving West or W.N.W.

Local forecast:—N.E. winds, moderate, fine.

BRAVE CHINESE
COMRADES.PAILAU ERECTED IN THEIR
MEMORY.H.E. THE GOVERNOR PER-
FORMS UNVEILING
CEREMONY.

"ERECTED BY THE IMPERIAL WAR GRAVES COMMISSION IN MEMORY OF THE CHINESE IN THE SERVICE OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT WHO DIED THROUGH ENEMY ACTION IN THE GREAT WAR 1914-1918."

The above was the inscription on the pailau erected at the main entrance of the Botanical Garden in memory of our brave Chinese comrades who fell during the Great War. The unveiling of the memorial was performed by H.E. Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G., in the presence of a large and representative gathering of Chinese and Europeans yesterday morning at nine o'clock.

Among those present were Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., H.E. Major General C. C. Luard (G.O.C.) and his A.D.C., Commodore J. L. Pearson, Mr. E. R. Hallifax, Mr. T. Ainsworth, Mr. W. Schofield, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., the Hon. Mr. McI. Messer, Mr. W. J. Carrie, Mr. Geo. K. Hall Brutton, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, C.B.E., the Hon. Mr. A. C. Hynes, and Dr. W. B. A. Moore (Director of Medical and Sanitary Services).

Chinese representatives present were the Hon. Sir Shou Son Chow, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., Mr. Lee Yau Tsuen, Mr. Ho Kam Tong, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. Ho Kwong, Mr. Ho Lu, Mr. Lau Cheong Shu, Mr. Kwok Siu Lau, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, and Dr. S. W. Teo.

Boy Scouts and Chinese Police Reserves lined both sides of the entrance and at 9 a.m. sharp the Government house party arrived. H.E. the Governor was accompanied by his Aides-de-Camp, Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin and Capt. A. J. L. Whyte. At the entrance to meet His Excellency were Sir Shou Son Chow and the Hon. Dr. Kotewall. Sir Cecil then walked to the pailau with Sir Shou Son Chow and following them were the Hon. Dr. Kotewall, Lady Clementi, the Misses Clementi, and the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern.

China And Great Britain United.

On the left side of the pailau a guard of honour consisting of 40 men drawn from the Chinese Company of Royal Engineers was paraded and at their rear were the buglers from the King's Own Scottish Borderers. After inspecting the guard of honour, His Excellency said in English and Chinese:—

I unveil this monument to the memory of the Chinese in the service of the British Government who died through enemy action in the Great War. May it stand for ever as a memorial to remind the inhabitants of Hong Kong that Great Britain and China were united during those terrible years in the defence of a noble cause.

The pailau was then unveiled by Sir Cecil Clementi and the buglers of the K.O.S.B. sounded the "last post" followed by the "Reveille."

Several wreaths were then laid at the foot of the memorial.

The Pailau.

The memorial takes the form of a pailau and is built of granite. At each foot of the memorial are two lions also carved in granite. The appearance of this memorial arch is distinctly Oriental and most impressive.

CAUGHT RED HANDED?

AMERICAN'S EXPERIENCE
OUTSIDE STAR FERRY.

On Saturday morning at about 9 a.m. as passengers were emerging from the Ferry Wharf at Hong Kong, an American felt a hand slip into his side coat pocket. He made a grab at the hand, but the owner was too quick and bolted. However, the American gave chase and soon caught a man who was taken to the Police Station by an Indian constable.

HOSTILITY MORE MARKED AT TSINAN.

MANY SOUTHERN ATROCITIES.

MURDER AND LOOTING IN THE CITY.

TSINAN COMMUNICATIONS INTERRUPTED.

LARGE JAPANESE RE-INFORCEMENTS.

There are many reports of different aspects of the situation at Tsinan, from which it is clear that the state of affairs is extremely serious. At the same time there is some lack of certainty in the messages, due to the fact that communication between the Japanese troops in the city and the outside world has been of the scantiest, even when not entirely interrupted. Communication is now being maintained with the aid of one field wireless set.

There seem to have been atrocities on both sides. Six Japanese women have been outraged and murdered, while other Japanese residents are missing, with the very distinct possibility that they have been killed. Furthermore the houses of Japanese and other foreign residents have been systematically plundered. It is however announced that all nationals, other than Japanese, are safe. On the other side, Japanese have raided the offices of the Shantung Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Tsai Kung Hsi, cut off his nose and ears, and murdered him and all his staff in cold blood.

The main hope for a settlement of this incident lies in the fact that Marshal Chiang Kai Shek still appears to be working with the Japanese military commanders, in the hope of restoring discipline among his disordered soldiery. They are, however, so much out of hand that they even maltreated a Japanese negotiation officer, travelling under the express safe-conduct of Marshal Chiang Kai Shek.

Discounting the Chinese claims that the origin of the trouble was entirely owing to wanton and utterly unprovoked attack upon peaceful Southern troops, there appears no doubt that the fighting arose from repeated attempts by the Nationalists to force their way into the Japanese Settlement, and their refusal to abide by the terms of the agreement reached between the leaders. They were, in fact, hostile to the Japanese from the outset.

The Japanese Commander is acting in very determined fashion. Learning that Sun Chuan Fang and Chang Tsung Chang were planning to take advantage of the present troubles to make an attack upon Tsinan, he has sent them a strong warning not to approach the city. The vernacular papers also report that he has issued an ultimatum that all Nationalist troops must be withdrawn to a distance of 20 miles from the Japanese defence line.

Both British and French newspapers thoroughly appreciate the extreme seriousness of the situation, but they put trust in the far-sighted and intelligent policy which Japan has always followed with regard to China.

ULTIMATUM TO NORTH AND SOUTH.

ATROCITIES BY SOUTHERNERS.

A small wireless outfit, which is the only means of communication with Tsinan, was established in the eastern part of the defended concession area. It was cut off from the Japanese Headquarters at Tsinan for a considerable time after the beginning of the trouble, but it is believed that communication has now been restored, though not of a close nature.

No direct news has been received from the Japanese Consul or General Fukuda since last Thursday. Reports from British sources state that six Japanese women have been outraged and murdered at Tsinan, and also one missionary has been killed. No details are at present available.

Nothing is known about Mr. Adcock, the British Consul-General.

A Tsingtao message says that the exact number of casualties at Tsinan has not been determined. The Railway Administration report, however, gives twelve Japanese non-commissioned officers and privates killed, twenty-nine wounded, and ten Japanese civilians killed or missing.

Four Japanese captured by the Chinese were later returned safely. Numerous houses have been looted. Hostilities at present are reported to have stopped except for snipers, for whom the Japanese are searching the houses.

A STRONG WARNING.

Upon receipt of reports that Chang Tsung Chang and Sun Chuan Fang were preparing to attack the Southern troops at Tsinan, taking advantage of the present chaotic conditions, the Japanese Commander Arai sent a note to these Generals, warning them against military activities.

Wireless communication between Tsinan and Tsinan was again threatened when a Northern aeroplane bombed the Tsinan power station which supplies power for the Japanese wireless. Considerable damage was reported, and General Arai again warned the Northerners against warlike activities at Tsinan.

PEKING, May 6th. The Japanese Consul-General at Tsinan, telephoning to Tsingtao last night, stated among other matters that there was no fighting on Saturday. Five bodies of Japanese civilians have been found inside the defended area and nine outside, but many more are expected to have been killed, as many parts of the city are still awaiting investigation. Twenty wounded Japanese civilians have been brought in since the cessation of fighting.

The Southern troops appear to be absolutely out of control. Colonel Sasakawa, a negotiation officer between the Japanese headquarters and Chiang Kai Shek, was yesterday dragged out of a motor-car while returning to Japanese headquarters under Chiang's safe-conduct.

The Southern troops were unable to assist him, the attackers heaping on him indescribable indignities and robbing him of his personal possessions. They raped him and were preparing to shoot him when Chiang Kai Shek's staff officers arrived on the scene and rescued him and conveyed him back to Chiang Kai Shek's headquarters, where Col. Sasakawa collapsed. He was later safely conveyed under a strong escort to the Japanese Headquarters.

His attackers are believed to be Kuomintang followers under Fang Chen Wu.

MORE JAPANESE TROOPS.

PEKING, May 6th. The General Staff and other high military and naval authorities in conference have proposed that the Chinese position in Shantung should be ordered to cease fighting, and that Japan should hold Shantung and the railways until a settlement of the present difficulties had been reached.

It is expected that it will be necessary to dispatch another division of troops from Japan, although plans are generally held in abeyance pending the close of the Diet to-night, which the Government is expected to continue. Some members of the Cabinet advocate sending troops to Nanking, but so far this is undecided.

The railway has been cut in sixteen places behind General Iwakura's re-inforcements.

A thousand re-inforcements have arrived here from Dairen, and will be stationed here.

A message from Tsinan states that the Foreign Settlement has now been completely cleared of Southerners.

PEKING, May 6th. It is reliably stated that the Cabinet's approval will be asked for the dispatch of all infantry units of the Nagayo division, including divisional headquarters, to Tsingtao for the purpose of guarding and administering the Shantung Railway. Also five infantry companies will be sent to Tsinan.

SHANGHAI, May 6th. The Japanese authorities are making every endeavour to isolate the incident, fearing repercussions elsewhere.

General Iwakura, with Japanese re-inforcements, arrived at Tsinan on Saturday night.

BRIDGE DESTROYED.

TSINGTAO, May 5th. The Japanese troops under General Iwakura, who left for Tsinan yesterday, have reached Fangtzu. Their advance has been interrupted there owing to the destruction of the railway.

Telephone and telegraph lines on the railway between Kaoli and Kauchichang were destroyed last night, thus severing all means of communication between Tsingtao and Tsinan.

Two destroyers have been ordered from Tsingtao to proceed to Chefoo and Lungkou respectively as a precautionary measure for the protection of Japanese residents.

JAPANESE CABLES.

PEKING, May 6th. General Fukuda's official report from Tsinan emphasises that there is every indication that the outbreak was pre-arranged. Heavy casualties among Japanese troops and civilians are stated to be due firstly to the removal of the defence works, after Chiang Kai Shek's seizure of safety, and secondly that the attack was made simultaneously in front and rear, thus rendering difficult the rescue of civilians outside the guarded area.

Twice agreements were made to cease fighting, but each time these were violated by the lawless elements among the Chinese. Finally, after communication between the sections of the Japanese troops had been severed, the Japanese carried out a clear sweep of the Southerners from the guarded area.

Through the temporary suspension of communications from Tsinan gave rise to anxiety, the military wireless from Tsinan has now been partially restored. The War Office is most reticent over details of the fighting, and it is generally believed that it is withholding facts owing to the exceptionally large Japanese civilian losses. This news would have a detrimental effect politically if published throughout the country. The dissolution of the Diet is expected, but the resignation of the Cabinet is regarded as unlikely, owing to the China situation.

TOKYO, May 6th. Messages from Tsinan say that all Japanese and other foreign residences have been systematically looted amid gruesome scenes, except those in the Settlement area, defended by Japanese troops.

Six more corpses of Japanese residents, including women, have been discovered bearing signs of brutal atrocities.

Fighting has ceased since this morning.

PRE-ARRANGED PLAN.

TOKYO, May 6th. General Fukuda, the Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese forces in Shantung, is quoted as having declared that the Southern violence at Tsinan was apparently pre-arranged as looting started at various points simultaneously.

Hand bombs were supplied to all entering the city and the railway was cut before the outrages commenced.

Southern officers are reported to be ignoring the Japanese agreement and more Southerners are entering the prohibited area, resulting in a continuance of fighting.

The latest despatches regarding the situation at Tsinan are most conflicting. Tientsin reports that even wireless communication has been impossible since noon yesterday. Tsinan is apparently completely isolated.

On the other hand, a report from Peking states that a message has been received filed at 2.30 p.m. announcing that although the Japanese troops are most fatigued, they have almost completed their defences. Ammunition and provisions, though diminishing are sufficient to last for a few days.

PEKING, May 6th. The Japanese Legation states that the Chinese leaders at Tsinan came to an agreement with the Japanese to withdraw the Nationalist forces from the Settlement by seven o'clock yesterday morning, but at eleven o'clock the Chinese troops massed on the border of the Settlement and attempted to rush in.

TOKYO, May 5th. The Japanese at Tsingtao have cabled the text of a strong resolution to leading statesmen and politicians in Japan requesting that drastic steps be taken as regards the massacre at Tsinan, urging the necessity of sinking party differences for the purpose of meeting the present grave situation.

THE NATIONALIST PROTEST.

SHANGHAI, May 5th. Hwang Fu, the Nationalist Minister of Foreign Affairs, with reference to Tsinan, has instructed the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Shanghai to telegraph the following note to Baron Tsuruoka, Japanese Premier:

"The despatch of Japan troops to Shantung violates China's territorial sovereignty. The Nationalist Government have twice protested against this action and have declared that should unfortunate consequences result therefrom, the Japanese Government would have to bear the responsibility, etc."

My greatest surprise is that the Japanese soldiers entered Tsinan early on the morning of May 3rd. There is no reason whatever for Japan having committed these very provocative acts and fired ruthlessly at our soldiers and people. Thereupon the Nationalist Commander-in-Chief, Chiang Kai Shek, ordered his troops to keep away from the region occupied by the Japanese soldiers and simultaneously instructed the high military officials to hasten to Japanese headquarters and arrange for measures for the prevention of a possible clash.

The representatives were repeatedly insulted and no result was reached. Japanese troops swept the neighbourhood with machine-gun fire and repeatedly directed their big guns on buildings of the Government and people.

A group of Japanese soldiers was sent to attack the office of the Shantung Commissioner of Foreign Affairs and after cutting off the ears and nose of Tsai Kung Hsi, the Commissioner, the soldiers murdered him and all members of his staff then present in cold blood. The temporary office of the Nationalist Foreign Minister was also fired on and searched by organised Japanese soldiery. Countless Chinese soldiers and citizens were murdered.

Japanese troops invaded the region occupied by the Nationalist soldiers and compelled them to disarm. The Nationalist soldiers refrained from opposing them.

At 11 o'clock on Thursday evening, while our high military officers were negotiating with General Kuroda, the Japanese chief of staff, for the best steps to be taken, Japanese soldiers fired their artillery and Japanese soldiers were also sent to destroy our wireless station on May 4th. Although there was not a single Chinese soldier in the neighbourhood of the region occupied by the Japanese troops, firing by the Japanese continued and business has been brought to a standstill.

"Condemnable actions like these are not only trampling underfoot completely China's sovereign rights but are also absolutely impermissible by human justice."

Therefore the Nationalist Government again has to lodge with the Japanese Government the strongest protest and has to request the Japanese Government to instruct their troops at Tsinan to stop forthwith their firing and withdraw at once.

All questions in relation to the violation of international law and treaty stipulations as the result of stationing Japanese troops in Shantung shall be settled through the proper procedure, and the Nationalist Government wish also now to declare that they reserve the right to present all necessary demands. It is presumed that the Japanese Government are unwilling to assume the outrageous and intolerable hostile position against the whole Chinese race, which is also against the dictates of justice and humanity. Hwang Fu.

DARK SPOT IN HISTORY.

SHANGHAI, May 6th. The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce has issued a manifesto denouncing the alleged murder of the Chinese Commissioner of Foreign Affairs in Shantung by the Japanese. This is described as a dark spot in the history of the whole human race.

They demand that international public opinion shall not suffer such inhuman conduct to go without due chastisement.

SHANGHAI, May 6th. A telegram from Tsingtao states that the reason for the conflict between the Nationalist army and Japanese troops at Tsinan is that on the forenoon of the 3rd inst. General Li Yi Chu's troops were marching along the 2nd Maloo, in order to proceed to the railway station, when they were stopped by the Japanese troops on the way.

Trouble ensued with the result that a number of General Li's men were killed.

NEWSPAPER COMMENT.

LONDON, May 5th. The Times, in a leader on the China situation, says that as far as can be judged from reports from Tokyo and Shanghai the Japanese at Tsinan acted with exemplary moderation. It considers it gratifying that the Japanese Government is disposed to treat the incident with sobriety and sound judgment, but remarks that the situation might become delicate at any moment.

Further Tsinan News will be found on Page 10.

A CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, May 5th. The French newspapers devote a lot of space to events in China, the gravity of which there is no attempt to underestimate. They particularly emphasise the despatch of Japanese troops to Shantung. The Popular Press expresses confidence in the far-sighted and intelligent policy Japan has always followed with regard to China.

THE NATIONALIST PROTEST.

LONDON, May 6th. An article in the Observer by "A Chinese Correspondent" says that, if Japan, after adventure in China, there will be the spectacle of North and South putting aside their quarrels for the time being to unite against Japan.

Japan's military intrusion into China is the only thing that will make that ancient people remember that they are one nation.

With the exception of the Nishi Nichi, which desires fuller details, the newspapers are inclined to blame the Government policy as largely responsible for the Tsinan affair. All urge the avoidance of over-excitement and there is a growing belief that the disturbances are due to prearranged plot to discredit Chiang Kai Shek, similar to the Nanking affair.

Extras appearing everywhere, supplementing the morning papers, say it appears that Tsinan is simply a repetition of Nanking possibly on a much larger scale. The frequent outbreaks of looting and other unspeakable acts of violence are regarded as absolutely intolerable. There is no sign of chauvinism but a growing feeling that Japan's national honour must be maintained and her nationals adequately protected.

FATE OF FOREIGN RESIDENTS.

PEKING, May 5th. Regarding foreigners other than Japanese in Tsinan, it is known that many are living in various sections of the city which are isolated from the defended area. It is impossible to obtain news regarding them while the present situation continues.

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THE ATTACK ON TEHCHOW.

FENG AND CHIANG IN CONSULTATION.

NATIONALISTS ON THE MOVE.

(Fah Keung Pao.)

SHANGHAI, May 6th. In order to discuss with Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek about the attack on Tehchow, Marshal Feng Yu Hsiang proceeded to Chuchow on the forenoon of the 4th. He returned at 4 p.m. the same day, and arrived at Yinchow on the morning of the 5th. Generalissimo Chiang will later leave Tsinan in order to meet the Christian General. The vanguard of the Nationalist army, which is stationed at Yinchow, having arrived at Pingyuan, will join Marshal Feng Yu Hsiang's army at Taming and they will then launch a joint attack on Tehchow.

GERMAN AMERICAN TREATY.

[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, May 6th. The German-American Conciliation and Arbitration Treaty has been signed.

ITALIA'S PROGRESS.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

OSLO, May 6th. The North Polar ship Italia has left here for Spitzbergen.

ANTI-BRITISH FEELINGS REVIVED.

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

NANKING, May 5th. The city is quiet, but there is a revival of anti-British feelings. Posters and other forms of propaganda against the British are freely distributed.

TENSION IN HANKOW.

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

HANKOW, May 5th. Grave reports arriving from Tsinan have caused a stir in foreign circles. An aeroplane had dropped leaflets giving an account of the progress made by the Nationalist soldiers.

ANOTHER BRITISH STEAMER FIRED UPON.

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

UPPER RIVER, May 5th. A boycott brought about by Chinese vested interests is continuing against the British. The s.s. Xingwo, which had been threatened by the Boycott Society, has, however, completed her loading and sailed on Sunday morning. Another British steamer was fired upon between Shasi and Ichang by unknown assailants.

A CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, May 5th. The British Foreign Office has learned from Nationalist official sources at Tsinan that the British Consul-General and the British residents there are safe.

The Legations here are very anxious for the safety of other foreigners at Tsinan. Their fate is unknown as the Japanese are unable to go out and investigate, but the Standard Oil Company, who are enquiring as to the condition of two American employees at Tsinan, learns from the Nanking office that reports from Tsinan state that foreigners other than Japanese have been the object of outrages by the rioters as well as the Japanese. No further details are available.

SHANGHAI, May 6th. Chiang Kai Shek telegraphed to Mr. H. H. Kung, Minister of Industry, at noon to-day that the British and American Consuls and their nationals are safe.

WHY TSINAN FELL?

PRIVATE WAR BETWEEN DEFENDERS.

A curious tale comes from Peking to local Nationalists, says the North China Daily News of May 2nd. It is to the effect that the Northerners lost Tsinan because, somewhere between Tsinan and Tsinan, the troops of Marshal Chang Chung Chang and those of Marshal Sun Chuan Fang entered upon a private war of their own. Marshal Sun's men attempted to disarm Marshal Chang's men. When these quarrelling northern armies fell back upon Tsinan in disorder, the officials of that city thought that they had been completely defeated. They therefore evacuated the place, which the Southerners took without a battle. This story may be true as there is no report of actual fighting in the vicinity of Tsinan during the past three days.

TRIAL OF ALSACE AUTONOMISTS.

DEFENDING COUNSEL SUSPENDED.

DISORDERLY SCENES IN COURT.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

COLMAR, May 6th. The disorderly scenes which marked the trial of the Alsatian Autonomists culminated in the suspension of Maitre Fournier, one of the Counsel for the defence, who applied the word "blunder" to an action of M. Poincaré in connection with Alsace.

The Public Prosecutor demanded legal action against the speaker for an offence against the Premier. The hearing was suspended amid tumult.

On resumption the Court considered that Maitre Fournier's word gave offence to M. Poincaré, and was a breach of the oath taken by barristers not to lack respect for public authorities. The Court suspended Maitre Fournier for a month. He is thus unable to continue pleading the Autonomist case. The other Counsel for the Defence have sent a letter of protest to the Minister of Justice.

AMANULLAH IN RUSSIA.

REPLY TO CHAMBERLAIN FUND.

RIGA, May 6th. It is reported from Moscow that owing to the reluctance of King Amanullah to participate to-day in the ceremony of handing over the aeroplanes purchased with subscriptions by the people to the "Our Reply to Chamberlain" fund, the Soviet has decided to postpone the ceremony till after his Majesty's departure.

U.S. SHIPPING BILL.

ENCOURAGE PRIVATE ENTERPRISE.

FOREIGN MAIL CONTRACTS.

[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, May 6th. The House of Representatives has passed the Jones White Shipping Bill which is designed to develop the privately owned American merchant marine combines. The Jones Bill, which has already passed the Senate, would continue the operation of the Shipping Board, the Bill drafted by Mr. Chairman of the House Committee, which is described as a compromise, provides *inter alia* for the granting of long term foreign mail contracts and for the Government entering the marine insurance business.

ABOLITION OF SLAVERY.

1,028 FREED IN BURMA.

EXPEDITION WELL RECEIVED.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

RANGOON, May 6th. The expedition under J. O. T. Barnard, which was despatched to the Burmese "Triangle" early in the year to continue the work of releasing slaves, has concluded its task and returned to Myitkima. The expedition, which released 1,028 slaves, everywhere received the friendliest treatment. It is believed that there are now no more slaves left in the Triangle.

In the course of a Durbar attended by the Viceroy and the Commissioner for the Sargol Division announced the complete abolition of slavery. He said that henceforth there was no further right to possess slaves or to receive compensation. Any slaves who remained unproduced were declared free in law.

RACE STAND COLLAPSES.

200 SPECTATORS INJURED.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPES.

[THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY.]

STONER, May 5th. Two hundred spectators at a pony race meeting at the race course at Roseberry were injured in the collapse of the grand stand. The collapse was caused by a large crowd rushing to the stand during a heavy shower.

ARGENTINE ELECTIONS.

OLD PRESIDENT RETURNS.

[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

BUSTON, May 6th. The final returns of the Presidential Election show that Riggen, the President from 1916 to 1922, polled two-thirds of the votes throughout the country. The present President's term expires on October 12th.

LAWN BOWLS.

LEAGUE SEASON'S
AUSPICIOUS OPENING.

CRAIGENGOWER'S DOUBLE.
BOWLING GREEN COLLAPSE
AT KOWLOON.

Ideal weather favoured the opening of the lawn bowls season on Saturday and in most cases the play reached an exceptionally high standard. A surprise was furnished in both divisions, the Craigcraighower Cricket Club beating the Kowloon Bowling Green Club at Kowloon where they fell short by 38 runs. Although not too strong it was thought that the Kowloon C.C. second team would account for the League "baby" the Club de Recreio "B" team, but the latter just pulled it off by seven shots. For the fourth year in succession the Civil Service C.C. opened the season by a meeting and going to the Kowloon C.C. at Kowloon. The champions, the Kowloon Dock R.C., had no difficulty in disposing of the Police R.C. by 20 shots.

In the Second Division the Kowloon Bowling Green Club turned up at Happy Valley minus one of their skips (MacLachlan) and paid the penalty by going under to the Civil Service C.C. The Craigengower C.C. proved far too strong for the Yacht Club, but a close game on the East Point ground resulted in the Club de Recreio "A" team losing by only four shots.

Teams and scores were:—

DIVISION I.

KOWLOON O.C. v. C.S.C.C.

Played on the K.C.C. ground.
Home team won by 17 points.

K.C.C.: Dobbie, Howe, Smith
Exner (skip) 91; Kern, Wragge

Lammert, Gibson (skip), 23; Ham

England Champion, J.
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SPLENDID RACING AT HAPPY VALLEY.

BOXING EVE'S BRILLIANT PERFORMANCE.

MR. WONG AND MR. CHARLES IN FORM.

FAVOURITES ROMP HOME.

(By EARLY BIRD.)

There was a good attendance at Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon to witness the 4th Extra Race Meeting. The fields with the exception of the Substitute Stakes were satisfactory, and Mr. C. S. M. Alves, the Handicapper, should be pleased with the results, as most of the races were closely contested. Mr. P. M. Hodgson took the place of Mr. Fiddes Wilson as Starter and at times I did not envy him his duties as the presence of novices in some of the races must have been very trying. It is a pity these riders will insist on hanging at the rear of the starting post instead of making an effort to keep their mounts up in the line. Mr. Hodgson was very patient however, and succeeded in getting each field away to the satisfaction of everybody despite the hold up.

The Eve Stables had a good day and won with Boxing Eve and New Year's Eve. Two other ponies in Caesar and Benhur which are also under the experienced eye of Mr. H. H. H. Priestley also succeeded in being placed. One Third, which is a recently arrived Shanghai pony, won the last race beating Coos Bay and Peck over the one mile and a quarter in very good time. It was a runaway victory and I am inclined to think the riders of the placed ponies allowed the leader to make too much ground in the early stage of the race.

The absence of Mr. C. B. Brown, the genial Secretary of the Jockey Club, was noticed at Saturday's meeting. I am told he will be spending a holiday in England.

The match between Mr. Gordon and Mr. Crabbe was won by the former on Damaged Goods who paid a dividend of \$6.40.

The Band of the King's Own Scottish Borderers added materially to a very pleasant afternoon's enjoyment.

THE RACING.

The first event was marred by Wuchang who broke away out of a false start and completed the course twice before he was finally pulled up. New Year's Eve an odds on favourite succeeded in annexing this event. Fifty Fifty running very strongly was placed second with Warrington third.

The Customs Handicap "B" Class would have been a good thing for As You Like It but unfortunately, his rider could not make the weight and in consequence was carrying an extra five pounds. Kom Tong Hall just managed to gain the decision in the last few strides. Benhur who was not fancied in the betting came with a neat run and finished in third place.

Customs Handicap "C" Class was won by the favourite Bright Prospect after an excellent finish. Nara Stag was interfered with at the entrance of the straight otherwise he may have won. Mr. Usher did well to get Castle into third place.

Substitute Stakes. Boxing Eve won as he liked. From the fall of the flag until he passed the winning post in almost a canter he was the only thing in the race. I am confident Mr. Charles could have broken the record if he had wished. Blackstone Hall and San Diego filled the other places.

Lead Mine Handicap "B" Class. Tangle which was second favourite managed after a very excellent race in beating Man of War. Erstwhile who carried the bulk of the money in this race must have found the weight too much as he closed up early.

Pineapple Plate. Charles made no error about the six furlong event up on his old favourite San Francisco as soon as the flag fell he jumped away to the front and was never headed. Caesar's performance in carrying 162 into second place was a very good effort. Little Sit Tang who was left at the start did well to land third money.

Potomac Plate as I predicted turned out to be a running good contest between the sub. Caesar and the Haugh who made most of the running and second and King Constantine third.

The Lead Mine Handicap "A" Class. Although Peck started favourably he never at any time looked like a winner. One Third just cracked up the race from the start and ran home an easy winner with Peck and Coos Bay struggling for the places. Fifty Fifty though he started in a previous mile event although beaten was not disgraced as he finished well up and is sure to do well later.

THE RESULTS.

1.—Customs Handicap: "A" Class: Once Round (about 7 furlongs, 55 yards).

For China ponies.
Mr. Eves New Year's Eve, 150 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 1
Mr. Luen Yick's Fifty Fifty (late Islam), 155 lbs. (Mr. Wong) 2
Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Warrington, 155 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 3
Also ran—Messrs. Cheong and Ng's Glory (late Cedric), Mr. Charles's Luen Yick's Aristophanes (Mr. de Roza), Mr. S. W. Cheong's Wuchang (late Cape Region), Mr. Loo's Luen Yick's Warlordship (Mr. Chun).

Time: 1min. 55.1-5secs.

Won by two lengths; three lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$9.70.

Places: 1st, \$3.50; 2nd, \$5.70; 3rd, \$7.50.

Winner. Places.

New Year's Eve .. 503 520
Fifty Fifty .. 270 308
Wuchang .. 74 170
Warrington .. 73 134
Aristophanes .. 35 76
Glory .. 11 37
Warlordship .. 10 33

2.—Customs Handicap: "B" Class: Once Round (about 7 furlongs, 55 yards).

For China ponies.
Mr. Ho Kom Tong's Kom Tong Hall, 155 lbs. (Mr. Wong) 1
Major B. C. Lake's As You Like It, 155 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 2
Mr. H.T.C.'s Ben Hur, 149 lbs. (Mr. de Roza) 3
Also ran—Mr. Yam Man's May (Mr. Proulx); Mr. H. L. Yung's (Mr. Liang); Mr. R. M. Austin's Grey Knight (Mr. Clark); Mrs. R. J. Pearson's Skipper (Mr. Reidy); Mr. C.P.C.'s Northern Stag (Mr. Backhouse).

Time: 1min. 59.2-5secs.

Won by three quarters of a length; half a length between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$35.20.

Places: 1st, \$8.30; 2nd, \$7; 3rd, \$15.10.

Winner. Places.

Grey Knight .. 440 522
As You Like It .. 322 468
Kom Tong Hall .. 123 238
Skipper .. 39 102
Ben Hur .. 37 96
Chitto .. 11 47
Northern Stag .. 9 54
May .. 3 18

3.—Customs Handicap: "C" Class: Once Round (about 7 furlongs, 55 yards).

For China ponies.
Mr. Tazo U's Bright Prospect, 162 lbs. (Mr. Wong) 1
Messrs. Chan and Rafter's Nara Stag, 161 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 2
Mr. F. Usher's Castle, 154 lbs. (Mr. Usher) 3

Also ran—Dr. S. T. Wong's Ullswater (Dr. E. To Wong); Mr. M. T. S. King's Easter Day (Mr. Erskine); Mr. L. Reidy's Isotacy (late Magnificent Dahlia) (Mr. Reidy); Messrs. K. C. Lau and H. C. Lee's Duke of Nieblung (Mr. H. C. Lee); Messrs. Kong Bros's Sea Front (Mr. Proulx); Mr. L. Dunbar's Jack Russell (Mr. de Roza); Mr. Hee Cheong's Waichow (Mr. Clark); Mr. Ho Sai Man's Loch Tay (Mr. Ho Sai Man); Mr. Union's Fook Shau (Mr. Chun).

Time: 2mins. 01.2-5secs.

Won by three quarters of a length; one and a half lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$11.80.

Places: 1st, \$8; 2nd, \$6; 3rd, \$7.70.

Winner. Places.

Bright Prospect .. 329 462
Nara Stag .. 508 476
Isotacy .. 118 146
Castle .. 105 179
Jack Russell .. 38 76
Ullswater .. 18 55
Easter Day .. 16 44
Fook Shau .. 13 45
Waichow .. 8 24
Duke of Nieblung .. 5 21
Sea Front .. 5 21
Loch Tay .. 4 19

4.—Substitute Stakes: One Mile.

For all China ponies. Catch weight at 10 st. 9 lbs. Winners of a race value \$500 or over other than a race confined to subscription griffins, or ponies that have won the aggregate prize in the Aggregate Stakes in any season, 5 lbs.

Mr. Eves's Boxing Eve, 154 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 1
Mr. Ho Kom Tong's Blackstone Hall, 149 lbs. (Mr. Wong) 2
Mr. L. Reidy's San Diego, 159 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 3

Also ran—Mr. Luen Yick's Aristophanes (Mr. Chun).

Time: 2mins. 03.2-5secs.

Won by many lengths; five lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$7.30.

Places: 1st, \$5.80; 2nd, \$7.50.

Winner. Places.

Boxing Eve .. 1102 610
San Diego .. 393 300
Blackstone Hall .. 308 299
Aristophanes .. 34 48

5.—Lead Mine Handicap: "B" Class: 1 1/4 Miles.

For China ponies.

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Tangle, 150 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 1
Mr. Hee Cheong's Man of War, 152 lbs. (Mr. Clark) 2
Mr. Moon's Full Moon (late Mira), 152 lbs. (Mr. Wong) 3

Also ran—Dr. S. T. Wong's Fair Eyes, 152 lbs. (Mr. de Roza); Mr. Seth's Erstwhile (Mr. Seth); Mr. N. Hashim's Sunning (Mr. Charles).

Time: 2mins. 44.3-5secs.

Won by three lengths; one length between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$18.

Places: 1st, \$9.40; 2nd, \$14.20; 3rd, \$19.50.

Winner. Places.

Erstwhile .. 389 301
Tangle .. 369 301
Sunning .. 146 231
Fair Eyes .. 110 294
Full Moon .. 87 150
Man of War .. 65 187

A Match: Once Round (about 7 furlongs, 55 yards).

Damaged Goods (late Four Horseman), 172 lbs. (Mr. R. Gordon) 1

Gold Medal, 173 lbs. (Mr. A. D. Crabbe) 2

Time: 2mins. 11.2-5secs.

Won by many lengths.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$6.40.

Winner. Places.

Damaged Goods .. 144
Gold Medal .. 82

6.—Pineapple Plate: Six Furlongs.

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Time: 1min. 34.3-5secs.

Won by four lengths; half a length between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$6.80.

Places: 1st, \$5.70; 2nd, \$6.80; 3rd, \$10.

Winner. Places.

San Francisco .. 965 818
Boulkra .. 192 341
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Chermal .. 67 104
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Won by two lengths and a half; four lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—

Winner: \$9.10.

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HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS.

LAST LEAGUE MATCHES OF THE SEASON.

MANCHESTER CITY GAIN SECOND DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP.

SUNDERLAND ESCAPE RELEGATION.

The last English League games of the season, which were played on Saturday, were interesting inasmuch as the Second Division championship and relegations hinged on the results. Manchester City and Leeds United were the rivals for the championship and both lost their final matches on foreign soil, but the former gain the premier place with a lead of two points. A victory for Leeds United would have given them the championship on a better goal average, but Stoke City beat them by five goals to one.

Middlesbrough and Sunderland had a relegation "Derby" and the latter cleared the danger zone. Middlesbrough, who finished top of the Second Division last season and received promotion, thus go down again accompanied by the "Spurs" Manchester City and Leeds United advance to the First Division, while Millwall and Bradford displace Fulham and South Shields in the Second Division. Leeds United were relegated last season and now regain their place. It will be observed that seven teams have 30 points each in the premier League. Sheffield Wednesday who have been at the foot of the table for a long time escaped the relegation zone by defeating Aston Villa and incidentally gained fourteenth position.

A later message, from Reuter, confirms what has been stated above and reads as follows:—

Everton were presented with the League Cup after the match. Tottenham Hotspur and Middlesbrough will be relegated to the Second Division and replaced by Manchester City and Leeds who in turn will be replaced in the Second Division by Millwall, Southern champions, and Bradford, Northern champions.

Dean scored 50 goals for Everton this season beating Cammell's 1927 record of 50 goals for Middlesbrough.

Fulham will be relegated to the Southern Section and South Shields to the Northern.

Results of Saturday's matches as cabled by Reuter and final League tables are appended.

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division I.

Birmingham	2	Derby	1
Blackburn	0	Bury	1
Bolton	1	Sheffield U.	1
Cardiff	3	Burnley	1
Everton	3	Arsenal	3
Huddersfield	0	Portsmouth	1
Manchester U.	0	Liverpool	1
Middlesbrough	0	Sunderland	3
Newcastle	3	West Ham	1
Wednesday	2	Aston Villa	0

Division II.

Blackpool	4	Fulham	0
Bristol C.	1	South Shields	1
Chelsea	1	Barnsley	2
Clapton O.	0	Wolves	0
Grimsby	4	Preston N.E.	0
Notts C.	2	Manchester C.	1
Oldham	5	Hull	0
Reading	0	Swansea	0
Southampton	2	Notts Forest	1
Stoke	5	Leeds U.	1
West Brom.	0	Port Vale	0

Division III. (Southern).

Brentford	1	Watford	1
Brighton	4	Swindon	0
Crystal Pal.	0	Plymouth	2
Exeter	2	Merthyr	0
Luton	2	Charlton	0
Millwall	1	Bristol R.	0
Norwich	2	Covebury	1
Nottingham	0	Gillingham	0
Southend	1	Newport	1
Torquay	1	Walsall	1

Division III. (Northern).

Barrow	1	Accrington	0
Bradford	2	New Brighton	1
Chorley	5	Bradford A.	0
Durham	5	Crawley	1
Nelson	3	Wigan	3
Rochdale	1	Doncaster	0
Rotherham	3	Darlington	0
Stockport	3	Ashington	3
Tranmere	2	Liverpool	2
Wrexham	2	Linsola	2
Wrexham	2	Halifax	0

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

Everton	42	20	13	102	63
Huddersfield	42	22	7	102	63
Leicester	42	18	12	96	72
Derby	42	17	10	96	83
Bury	42	20	4	100	80
Cardiff	42	17	10	96	80
Bolton	42	16	11	96	83
Aston Villa	42	17	9	96	73
Newcastle	42	13	14	79	81
Arsenal	42	13	14	82	86
Birmingham	42	13	14	79	81
Blackburn	42	16	9	96	73
Sheffield U.	42	13	10	79	86
Wednesday	42	13	18	81	79
Sunderland	42	15	9	74	79
Liverpool	42	13	18	84	79
West Ham	42	14	11	81	88
Manch. U.	42	18	7	96	80
Portsmouth	42	16	7	96	89
Burnley	42	16	7	96	89
Tottenham	42	15	8	96	88
Middlesbrough	42	11	15	81	83

DIVISION II.

Manch City	42	25	9	93	59
Leeds	42	25	7	100	49
Chelsea	42	23	8	111	75
Preston	42	22	9	100	66
Stoke	42	22	8	112	79
Swansea	42	18	12	75	83
Oldham	42	18	12	75	81
West Brom.	42	17	12	89	70
Port Vale	42	18	8	106	68
Notts Forest	42	15	10	77	83
Grimsby	42	14	18	60	83
Bradford	42	10	18	78	79
Hull	42	12	18	61	84
Barnsley	42	14	11	75	85
Notts C.	42	13	17	68	74
Wolves	42	10	19	63	91
Southampton	42	14	7	108	77
Reading	42	11	13	73	75
Blackpool	42	13	8	91	101
Clapton O.	42	11	12	79	85
Fulham	42	13	7	92	89
S. Shields	42	7	23	50	111

DIVISION III. (SOUTH).

Millwall	42	30	3	127	50
Norwich	42	23	9	103	64
Plymouth	42	23	7	103	64
Brighton	42	19	10	81	69
Crystal Pal.	42	18	12	79	82
Swindon	42	19	9	104	69
Southend	42	20	6	106	64
Exeter	42	17	13	70	68
Newport	42	18	9	105	81
Q.P.R.	42	17	9	106	71
Charlton	42	15	13	104	70
Brentford	42	16	8	108	74
Luton	42	16	7	109	88
B'mouth	42	13	12	77	79
Watford	42	14	10	108	79
Gillingham	42	10	18	62	81
Norwich	42	10	16	66	70
Walsall	42	12	9	101	73
Bristol R.	42	14	4	124	67
Covebury	42	11	8	92	98
Merthyr	42	8	13	53	91
Torquay	42	8	14	50	103

DIVISION III. (NORTH).

Bradford	42	27	6	101	65
Linsola	42	24	7	111	64
Stockport	42	23	8	104	61
Doncaster	42	23	7	105	64
Tranmere	42	22	9	106	72
Bradford A.	42	18	12	85	60
Darlington	42	21	5	106	74
Southport	42	20	5	107	70
Accrington	42	18	8	106	61
N. Brighton	42	14	14	72	82
Wrexham	42	18	8	108	67
Halifax	42	13	15	73	71
Rochdale	42	17	7	106	77
Rotherham	42	14	11	77	69
Hartlepool	42	18	8	100	87
Chesterfield	42	13	10	71	78
Crewe	42	12	10	70	83
Ashington	42	11	20	77	83
Barrow	42	10	21	64	102
Wigan	42	10	10	92	97
Durham	42	11	7	94	100
Nelson	42	10	6	96	126

ARMADA TREASURE IN TOBERMORY BAY.

M.P. DYER TO SEARCH SUNKEN SPANISH GALLEON.

Captain S. R. Streetfield, Conservative M.P. for Galloway, planned for himself an original Easter holiday.

He was to go to Tobermory to dive in search of the treasure reported to be hidden in the Spanish galleon, one of the Great Armada, which lies at the bottom of the bay. Captain Streetfield's hobby is diving. He has had a good deal of experience, and has been invited to take charge of the diving operations in the search of the galleon. Historians differ as to whether the galleon, which was blown up by a Portuguese highlander when she was putting to sea after taking aboard provisions for which the officers had not paid, is the *San Juan Bautista* or the *Floresca*. There is un-

animity in the belief that she contains a considerable amount of treasure, despite the fact that since 1605 intermittent attempts have been made to salvage her.

Beautifol Plate. Various discoveries have already been made, notably a fine piece of plate of beautiful workmanship in silver and gold, which had been retrieved intact, which it was not, would, it is estimated, have been worth £2,000 or £3,000. Other finds include daggers, scabbards, coins, and human bones.

Estimates of the value of the treasure on the galleon vary from half a million to two and a half million sterling. Captain Streetfield will endeavour to expose the dock by the use of grabs and hydraulic jets and break a way into the vessel. If this operation is successful, the contents will be removed, and later an attempt will be made to raise the vessel. She is resting on rock, and is embedded in a soft clay in about ten fathoms of water.

"THE RING."

BRITISH FILM OF BRITISH SPORT AT THE QUEEN'S.

A LOCAL GAZETTE.

CINEMA PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK.

[BY OUR FILM CRITIC.]

"The Ring," comes to us with a strong recommendation—it is a British film with British actors. Although to admit it may lay us open to a charge of insularity, there is no doubt that it is extraordinarily pleasing to see English faces and English settings in place of the eternal Hollywood.

But that is not enough. No amount of patriotism will entirely reconcile the average cinema goer to a poorly made film, and "The Ring" needs no ladder of goodwill to place it where it stands as one of the best. It is a strong vigorous story told well and without much assistance from "S.A." or any other of the usual ingredients. Boxing is a form of entertainment which makes a great appeal to Englishmen, and though I can claim no deep knowledge of the noble art, the attention of yesterday's audience seemed to indicate that the ring side scenes were the real stuff. The fact that the Albert Hall was the stage and the famous Eugene Corri played referee to the film fight gives it not only reality but a standing in the boxing world.

Considered as a story it is in every way satisfactory. The opening scenes of the fair are particularly good, and here especially you feel the English atmosphere—the policeman, the telegraph boy, the publican, the sailor, and all the jostling crowd of men, women and children, look and are English. Their behaviour is English though perhaps they would seem to be taking their pleasures sadly to our cousins over the water. The players are not well known but if the British film industry goes on making films as good as "The Ring" they soon will be. "One Round Jack Sander," the hero who fights his way from the boxing booth of a fair to the Albert Hall where he wins the heavy weight championship, is played by Carl Brisson. Lillian Hall Davis, who is very like Myrna Kennedy, the heroine of Chaplin's "Circus," plays Sander's wife, who finds the Heavy-weight Champion Corby (Ian Hunter) too attractive for her husband's peace of mind. All three play well particularly, Miss Hall Davis.

All Local Gazette.

The Gazette is made up of locally taken pictures including the military sports and the inspection of the Boy Scouts by H.E. the Governor. It is all very interesting and we hope we shall have plenty more from our local studio.

The Garden of Eden.

Produced by the man who made "Two Arabian Knights," the screen version of "The Garden of Eden," one of the most successful plays of recent times in London, Paris, Berlin and New York, will be shown at the Queen's Theatre from Thursday to Saturday of this week. "The Garden of Eden" has a touch of symbolism; but it is a modern story dealing with the adventures of a little entertainer at a Budapest cabaret, who goes to Monte Carlo as the daughter of a baroness. Much of the action takes place in Monte Carlo and it is from the Hotel Eden in the world famous gaming resort that the production derives its name. Corinne Griffith appears as the young cabaret artist while Lowell Sherman and Charles Ray also have important roles to play. "The Garden of Eden" contains several sequences presenting a fantastic dream beautifully done in full natural colours.

THE WEEK'S PROGRAMME.

Queen's.

To-day—"The Ring." Tuesday and Wednesday—Adolphe Menjou, Alice Joyce and Norman Trevor in "The Ace of Cads," the screen version of the story by Michael Arlen.

Thursday to Saturday—Corinne Griffith in "The Garden of Eden," a comedy of Vienna and Monte Carlo.

World.

To-day—Reginald Denny in "Take It From Me," the comedy of a young man who lets out to squander a fortune.

Tuesday and Wednesday—"The Sap," the story of a coward who became a fighter.

Thursday to Saturday—"The Lone Eagle," a thrilling story of war in the clouds.

Star.

To-day—Jack Holt in "The Thundering Herd," an exciting screen version of a Zane Grey thriller.

Tuesday and Wednesday—Blanche Sweet in "Diplomacy."

Thursday to Saturday—Matt Moore and Dorothy Devore in "Three Weeks in Paris."

COMMUNIST TROOPS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, May 5th. The silence of the Japanese wireless station at Tsinanfu (which hitherto has been almost the sole source of news from there) since yesterday afternoon is causing some anxiety. No information is coming in from other sources.

It is learned that there is a body of 6,000 Communist troops in Tsinanfu belonging to Mui Pei Nan. These troops were a part of Chang Fa-Kuei's Communist army which Marshal Li Chai Han disbanded. Mui Pei Nan left Canton with 6,000 men and went to Kiangsi, where it was reported he committed various outrages. Later, they arrived at Nanking where they were recruited into Chiang Kai Shek's regular army. Mui Pei Nan and his men were placed under Ho Yao Tzu.

The Japanese military casualties at 10 o'clock yesterday morning were ten killed and thirty wounded. The civilian casualties are still unknown. Only one fact is that the Japanese (who are isolated in two bodies in the east and west of the huge city) hung up sandbag barricades at all key points and skillfully employed their machine guns has enabled them hitherto to repel the infuriated Nationalists with great difficulty.

But the latest despatches received in Tokyo are conflicting and are causing considerable anxiety as to the outcome of the struggle, especially as the ammunition and provisions are most scarce and only sufficient for a few days.

In addition, wireless communication has been cut off since noon and the Japanese forces are apparently completely isolated.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

The Diet has passed supplementary estimates of fifty-five million yen, including the Shantung expedition's 3,300,000 yen. Seven proletarians opposed.

Another two millions for Shantung will probably be defrayed on the Government's responsibility. Japanese reinforcements from Tientsin are unable to reach Tsinanfu as the railway bridge over the Yellow River has been blown up.

General Fukuda's forces, who carried out a forced march of fifty miles all night to Tsinanfu owing to interruption on the Shantung Railway, are most fatigued, and have since been compelled to stand by continuously for 36 hours to meet continuous Chinese attacks by enormously superior forces, intoxicated by their rapid series of victories against the northern armies and filled with fundamental hatred of the Japanese.

Meanwhile, Major General Iwakura, with all available forces (approximately 2,000) from Tsinanfu, is conducting a forced march to Tsinanfu along the Shantung Railway which has been cut in many places by the Nationalists.

Tokyo, May 5th. The Navy has ordered their largest minelayer *Tokura* from Sasebo to proceed to Tsinanfu.

Four destroyers from Maizuru, which were yesterday ordered to proceed to Shanghai owing to possible trouble in South China. Three destroyers now at Tsinanfu have also been ordered to Shanghai.

(Wah Keung Pao.)

SHANGHAI, May 5th.

A telegram from Shanghai states that the Japanese have taken full charge of Tsinanfu. There are many Japanese warships anchored both inside and out of the harbour, and these are communicating with the island by wireless. Chinese merchant ships have been driven out of the harbour, and the Japanese is said to be going to lay an embargo on the harbour.

On the morning of the 5th Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek, accompanied by the British and American Consuls, inspected the various districts which had suffered from the late trouble. Photographs have been taken as proof when the question of compensation is raised with the Japanese.

A telegram from Shanghai states that the Japanese troops had stopped firing by the evening of the 4th. The British and American Consuls are acting as mediators.

COMMISSIONER MURDERED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, May 5th.

The Chinese Commissioner for Foreign Affairs here has received a message from General Hwang Fu, the Nationalist Foreign Minister, who is at present at Tsinanfu, instructing him to protest to Baron Tanaka, the Japanese Foreign Minister, concerning the killing of the Chinese Commissioner for Foreign Affairs at Tsinanfu, and the whole of his staff, by Japanese troops this morning.

The situation at Tsinanfu is pregnant with terrible possibilities. (Continued on next column.)

CELEBRATING VICTORY.

TO-DAY'S BIG PARADE.

PROTEST AGAINST JAPAN'S ACTION.

According to the *Canton Gazette*, the news of the re-capture of Tsinanfu by the Nationalist forces gave rise to celebrations by certain sections of the populace in Canton.

"On Wednesday evening numbers of automobiles were noticed coursing through the malloos of the city, displaying white cloth banners, announcing the welcome news. Handbills were scattered and firecrackers were lit and freely thrown."

RESOLUTIONS.

The *Canton Gazette* also announces that a gigantic parade has been arranged to take place in Canton to-day (Monday) as a protest against the Japanese expedition to Shantung.

At a meeting held on Thursday the following resolutions were passed:

1.—That slogans of protest be prepared.

2.—That handbills be printed announcing the furtherance of the Anti-Japanese movement, these handbills to be distributed to shops through the Bureau of Public Safety. All shops are to post these slips on their premises, and defaulters will be required to purchase \$5 worth of Public Loan Bonds.

3.—That organizations desiring to disseminate their individual propaganda to-day (Monday) when the mass meeting is to be held, are to send drafts of their literature to the Committee for the purpose of bringing all into harmony.

4.—That all organizations be requested to declare a holiday to-day (Monday) and to send members to participate in the public parade. Banners are to be brought.

5.—That the City Kuomintang Sections in various districts be requested to gather the people of their respective districts in meetings of protest.

6.—That the Aviation Department be requested to scatter handbills from their airplanes.

7.—That for the purpose of maintaining order and patrol the following organizations be asked to furnish drafts of men: Gendarmes, Mechanical Workers' Union, Boy Scouts, Bureau of Public Safety, and General Labour Union.

THE "CONTRA DANCE."

DISPLAY GIVEN AT CLUB DE RECREIO.

Another enjoyable display of the old Portuguese dance known as the "Contra Dance" was given at the Club de Recreio, King's Park, on Saturday night. The dancers wore very pretty costumes and with moonlight and coloured lanterns there was a very pretty and romantic scene.

The music was supplied by the String Band of the Sociedade, the musicians wearing pierrot costumes. There was a very large gathering present and the dancers were applauded for their display. The proceeds of the function, will be given to the Societe de St. Vincent de Paul.

PEKING, May 5th.

The Peking Government late last night handed a Note to the Japanese Legation, protesting against the Tsinan incident and blaming the Japanese.

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AMOT, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANHUI" On 13th May, 9 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KAYING" On 13th May, Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, NEW CHINA & DALI	"LUCHOW" On 13th May, Noon
AMOT, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUIYANG" On 14th May, 6 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"KUBICHOW" On 15th May, 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI	"YUNNAN" On 15th May, 6 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"LINAN" On 17th May, Noon
AMOT, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANKING" On 20th May, 9 a.m.
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Arrivals and Departures, etc.

ARRIVALS.

May 4th.
Times Maru, Japanese str., 1,304 tons, Capt. T. Nakamura, from Keelung, which port she left on May 2nd, with a cargo of coal, lying at buoy No. C49.—M.B.K.

May 5th.
Glengarry, British motor ship, 9,843 tons, Capt. J. Angier, from Shanghai, which port she left on May 2nd, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A6.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Hsin Foo Sing, Chinese str., 978 tons, Capt. R. Simon, from Saigon, which port she left on April 30th, with a cargo of rice, lying at buoy No. C42.—Yuen Shing Fat.

Kojun Maru, Japanese str., 1,305 tons, Capt. F. Taguchi, from Lungkow and Dairen. The latter port she left on April 30th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C41.—M.B.K.

Koyo Maru, Japanese str., 1,469 tons, Capt. S. Murakawa, from Canton, lying at buoy No. C63.—Kume & Co.

Kronprins Olav, Norwegian str., 685 tons, Capt. E. Høyen, from Saigon, which port she left on April 30th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C43.—Seng Hing Hong.

Kweiyang, British str., 1,580 tons, Capt. E. M. Gellie, from Bangkok and Kohsiang. The latter port she left on April 29th, with rice and general cargo, lying at buoy No. B13.—B. & S.

Kwong Sang, British str., 1,499 tons, Capt. A. D. Kelman, from Canton, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C35.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Lidgough, British str., 1,230 tons, Capt. W. J. Larter, from Canton, with a cargo of beans, lying at buoy No. C37.—B. & S.

President Monroe, American str., 6,195 tons, Capt. A. Ahman, from San Francisco, which port she left on April 6th, with 2,000 tons of general cargo, lying at Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar Line.

Seika Maru, Japanese str., 4,032 tons, Capt. I. Sugiyu, from Dairen, which port she left on April 29th, with beans and coal, lying at buoy No. B22.—M.B.K.

Sui Sang, British str., 1,683 tons, Capt. S. P. Milford, from Amoy, with a general cargo, lying at Kowloon Wharf.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Sunning, British str., 1,570 tons, Capt. R. Robertson, from Canton, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. B9.—B. & S.

Taikoo Wai, British str., 1,878 tons, Capt. S. de Wolf, from Hongkong, which port she left on May 3rd, with a cargo of coal, lying at Quarry Bay.—B. & S.

Tjibodas, Dutch str., 2,953 tons, Capt. P. A. Vergroesen, from Sourabaya and Balikpapan, which port she left on April 28th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A6.—J.C.J.L.

Trier, German str., 5,401 tons, Capt. J. Jachens, from Shanghai, which port she left on May 2nd, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A3.—Melchers & Co.

Winghong, British str., 3,979 tons, Capt. G. E. Wilkins, from Swatow, with a cargo of rice, lying at buoy No. A30.—Lee Fat S.S. Co.

May 6th.
Chinkua, British str., 1,353 tons, Capt. J. Pringle, from Bangkok and Kohsiang. The latter port she left on April 29th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A16.—B. & S.

Chinkiang, British str., 1,299 tons, Capt. C. Stringer, from Tientsin and Swatow, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C15.—B. & S.

Hop Sang, British str., 1,356 tons, Capt. W. J. Booker, from Shanghai and Swatow, with a general cargo, lying at West Point Wharf.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Lecon, Chinese str., 729 tons, Capt. Kwok Kau, from Kwong Chow, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C10.—Hop On S.S. Co.

Takliwa, British str., 3,742 tons, from Singapore, which port she left on May 1st, with a general cargo, lying at Kowloon Wharf.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.

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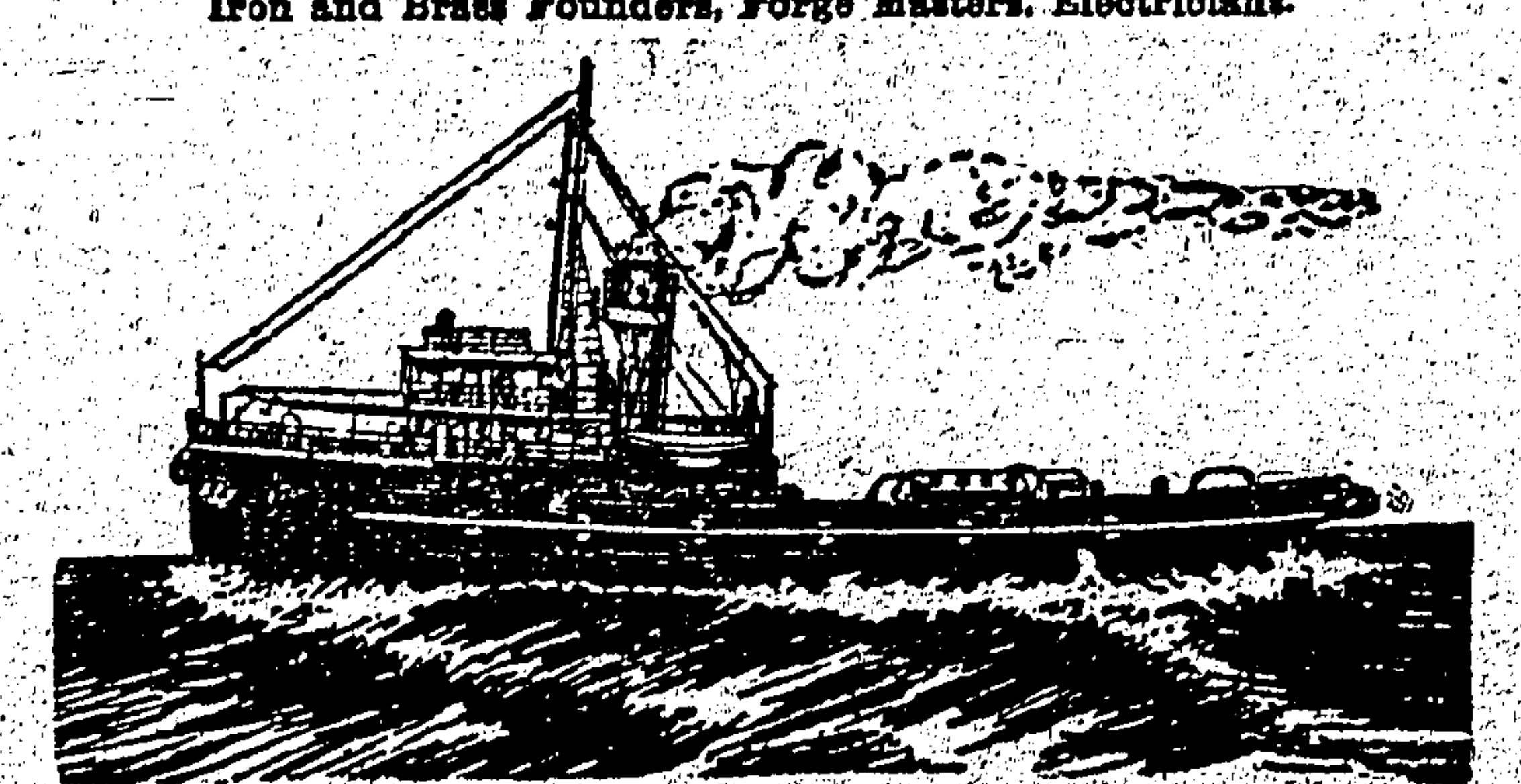
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WEEK-END FREIGHT RETURNS.

HEAVY CARGOES FOR
SATURDAY.

With nineteen arrivals and sixteen departures for the period ending at 9 a.m. on Saturday morning the cargo for Hong Kong and through ports were very good.

Local imports totalled 22,552 tons of which 15,651 tons were carried by seven British vessels.

The two best returns were shown by the s.s. Kuei-yang (British) from Bangkok and Kohsichang. The s.s. Pharanang (Chinese) also had 1,800 tons from So Hai.

Through freights from nine vessels amounted to 22,250 tons, and six British vessels carried 10,250 tons. The two best returns were shown by the s.s. Sekai Maru from Dairen with 5,800 tons of general cargo. The s.s. Hwang also carried 4,912 tons from Calcutta and Singapore.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The B.I. s.s. Takliwa will leave for Amoy, Moji, Kobe, Yokohama and Osaka at 6 a.m. to-morrow (Tuesday).

The P. & O. s.s. Mantua, from Hong Kong, arrived at London on May 3rd at 3 p.m.

The E. & A. Co.'s s.s. Tamba left Manila for Hong Kong on Friday afternoon, with the outward Australian mails, and is due here this (Monday) morning. She will leave for Moji, Kobe and Yokohama at 4 p.m. to-morrow.

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, May 6th.			
	Previous Day	On Date	On Date
	at 2 p.m.	6 a.m.	3 p.m.
Barometer...	29.59	29.86	29.84
Temperature...	76	73	74
Humidity...	79	95	81
Wind...			
Direction...	E	ENE	ESE
Force...	3	3	3
Weather...	B	Cloudy	O
Rain...	0.00	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 5th: 77
Lowest open-air Temperature, 6th: 72

B-Blue sky; O-Cloudy; D-Drizzle; F-Fog; L-Lightning; M-Mist; O-Overcast; P-Passing showers; Q-Squalls; R-Rain; T-Thunder.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From May 7th to 12th, 1928.

Day of Week		Date		High Water		Low Water	
				Time		Time	
Mon.	7	h.	m.	h.	m.	h.	m.
		11	53	4	3	1	3
Tues.	8	m	10	27	7	0	4
Wed.	9	m	1	7	9	9	4
		10	59	7	0	11	1
Thur.	10	No	10	15	high	low	15
		11	37	6	9	13	1
Fri.	11	No	10	15	high	low	15
		12	53	6	7	9	1
Sat.	12	No	10	15	high	low	15
		1	25	6	4	10	1
Sun.	13	No	10	15	high	low	15
		2	51	6	1	11	1

VESSELS EXPECTED.

American Mail Line.
President Jefferson, to-day.
President McKinley, to-day.

Australian-Orion Line.
Taiping, May 11th.
Changie, June 8th.

Bank Line.
City of Eastbourne, May 11th.
City of New Castle, May 11th.

City of Chester, May 27th.
City of Cardiff, June 2nd.
City of Cardiff, June 2nd.

City of Osaka, July 15th.
City of Evansville, July 20th.

Blue Funnel Line.
Meriones, May 9th.
Adriatic, May 15th.

Helena, May 18th.
Patriot, May 18th.
Orestes, May 20th.

Perseus, May 25th.
Mendocino, May 25th.
Hercules, May 25th.

Rheine, May 31st.
Rheine, June 8th.
Mentor, June 10th.

Tyndarus, June 10th.
Dardanus, June 12th.
Antenor, June 13th.

Oanfa, June 20th.
Antiochus, June 25th.
Diomed, June 26th.

Atrius, June 27th.
Glaucus, June 29th.
Proteus, July 3rd.

Lycan, July 8th.
Philoctetes, July 8th.
Ningehow, July 16th.

Achilles, July 16th.
Tatishchev, July 24th.
Tatishchev, July 24th.

Atsuta, July 30th.
Elpenor, August 2nd.
Machon, September 19th.

British-India and Apsar Line.
Takliwa, to-day.
Hakata Maru, May 8th.

Tottori Maru, May 8th.
Tamba Maru, May 10th.
Toyooka Maru, May 13th.

Tsuyama Maru, May 13th.
Hakozaki Maru, May 18th.
Hakozaki Maru, May 18th.

Hakozaki Maru, May 22nd.
Taiyo Maru, May 22nd.
Atago Maru, May 25th.

Hakusan Maru, June 1st.
Tenyo Maru, June 4th.
Wakata Maru, June 8th.

Kitano Maru, June 10th.
Tango Maru, June 10th.
Kamakura Maru, July 25th.

Hordeutscher Lloyd, Bremen.
Trave, May 15th.
Pfalz, May 20th.

Saarbrücken, June 4th.
Ramscheid, June 10th.
Coblenz, July 2nd.

Peninsular and Oriental.
Delta, May 10th.
Kashgar, May 12th.

Novara, May 12th.
Devanha, May 17th.
Lahore, May 19th.

Mirzapore, May 20th.
Kidderpore, May 22nd.
Rampura, May 24th.

Malwa, May 25th.
Alipore, May 31st.
Jeypore, June 2nd.

Nankin, June 2nd.
Nankin, June 7th.
Ravalland, June 21st.

Nellore, July 3rd.
Kashmir, July 5th.
Rajputana, July 19th.

Kalyan, August 2nd.
Naldora, August 16th.
Morea, September 13th.

Karmala, September 27th.
Macedonia, October 12th.

Princes Line.
Japanese Prince, May 10th.
Japanese Prince, June 5th.

DAILY WATERFRONT NEWS.

[BY LONGSHOREMAN.]

Asiatic Deck Passengers.

Asiatic deck passengers arriving in the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. on Saturday numbered 1,317. These passengers were carried by twelve vessels which arrived during the period under review.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships and auxiliaries were in port yesterday: North Wall Basin, Wild Swan, Wanderer; South Wall Basin, Kappel, Bittern, Veteran; East Wall Basin, Neuse, Moth, L.S. 1, L.S. 2, North Arm, Titania, Western, Worthington, L.S. 1, L.S. 2, West Wall Dock, L.S. 1, L.S. 2, L.S. 3, L.S. 4, L.S. 5, L.S. 6, L.S. 7, L.S. 8, L.S. 9, L.S. 10, L.S. 11, L.S. 12, L.S. 13, L.S. 14, L.S. 15, L.S. 16, L.S. 17, L.S. 18, L.S. 19, L.S. 20, L.S. 21, L.S. 22, L.S. 23, L.S. 24, L.S. 25, L.S. 26, L.S. 27, L.S. 28, L.S. 29, L.S. 30, L.S. 31, L.S. 32, L.S. 33, L.S. 34, L.S. 35, L.S. 36, L.S. 37, L.S. 38, L.S. 39, L.S. 40, L.S. 41, L.S. 42, L.S. 43, L.S. 44, L.S. 45, L.S. 46, L.S. 47, L.S. 48, L.S. 49, L.S. 50, L.S. 51, L.S. 52, L.S. 53, L.S. 54, L.S. 55, L.S. 56, L.S. 57, L.S. 58, L.S. 59, L.S. 60, L.S. 61, L.S. 62, L.S. 63, L.S. 64, L.S. 65, L.S. 66, L.S. 67, L.S. 68, L.S. 69, L.S. 70, L.S. 71, L.S. 72, L.S. 73, L.S. 74, L.S. 75, L.S. 76, L.S. 77, L.S. 78, L.S. 79, L.S. 80, L.S. 81, L.S. 82, L.S. 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